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GENERAL OF THE NAVYCaptain Morris Appointed By
Secretary Wilbur
April 21

NAVY CIRCLES SURPRISED

THE Secretary of the Navy is reported to have surprised everyone in the Navy Department when he announced on April 21 the appointment of Capt. Charles Morris to succeed Rear Adm. David Potter as Chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts. It is stated that he consulted only the President in making the selection, although it is said to meet with general approval throughout the Navy Department and it is believed will be well received on the fleet.

The report is that the Secretary became acquainted with Captain Morris when he was serving on the staff of Admiral Eberle, as fleet paymaster, when the Chief of Naval Operations was commander-in-chief of the Battle Fleet. He was very much impressed with Captain Morris' work.

APPOINTMENT HELD UP

The appointment was held up for some time by the Secretary on account of the uncertainty as to the date of the termination of Admiral Potter's term of four years. Admiral Potter was confirmed by the Senate on April 21, but he did not take the oath of office until the 27th. Not only the Secretary but a number of officers in the Department were undecided as to which date to select. The question was submitted to the Judge Advocate General, who decided in favor of April 27. While this question was being discussed, and a number of other officers were being mentioned for the place, the Secretary refused to commit himself. It is stated that he had planned it as a surprise, not only to the officers on duty but to Captain Morris himself.

Captain Morris was being congratulated over the phone by officers in the Department before the Secretary of Navy had notified him that he had been selected. The Secretary casually mentioned the prospective vacancy to Captain Morris, but his remarks were not of such a character to indicate that he intended to appoint him.

Captain Morris is of a Service family, with a distinguished record. He is the son of the late Brig. Gen. Charles Morris of the Army, and the grandson of Lt. Charles Morris, who was killed in the Mexican War. His great-grandfather, Commodore Charles Morris, served on the U.S.S. Constitution during the War of 1812 and was executive officer of that ship at the time of her famous engagement with the British warship Guerriere.

Captain Morris was born on August 15, 1875, at Newport, R. I., and graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the class of '96. He entered the Navy as assistant paymaster May 30, 1898. He served on the U.S.S. *Hist* during the Spanish War. Captain Morris was on duty at Samoa when the islands were taken over by the United States, where he rendered splendid service. Between the years of 1901 and 1915 Captain Morris served at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, on the U.S.S. *Bennington*, at the Norfolk Navy Yard, on the battleship *North Carolina*, at the Boston Navy Yard, the New York Navy Yard, at the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts and on the battleship *Montana*.

Perhaps the most notable service of Captain Morris was in connection with the occupation of the Port au Prince, by Ad-

SECRETARY OF NAVY REPLIES TO
PACIFIST PROTEST ON MANEUVERS

IN answer to a protest from pacifists on the Navy maneuvers in the Pacific, the Secretary of Navy has given out a form letter which he has mailed to inquirers on the subject. The Secretary points out that the maneuvers of the English, French and Japanese fleets have brought no protest from American pacifists nor caused any alarm in the world. He refers to a message from the Minister of Marines of Japan, who expressed his gratification at the reception that the Japanese squadron received upon the Pacific coast.

The following is the text of the letter from the Secretary, which is held to be significant, as it is understood that it was submitted to the President and represents the views of the Administration:

"With reference to your letter on the effect of the annual naval exercises of the fleet followed by the cruise of courtesy to Australia, it is evident that statements on this subject have been given out by persons who are misinformed.

MUST MAINTAIN NAVY

"Every maritime nation maintains a naval force to insure the neutrality of its territorial waters and to protect its peaceful commerce on the high seas. Most practical people know that a desire or wish for a thing does not secure it. President Washington said that 'It is in our experience that the most sincere neutrality is not sufficient guard against the depredations of nations at war. To secure respect to a neutral flag requires a naval force organized and ready to protect it from insult or aggression.'

"Every nation that maintains a Navy wants it to be efficient; its ships must be in good running order; its men must be able to operate the ships. For this reason

the maritime nations of the world require certain drills, exercises and maneuvers of their ships, and all maritime nations exercise their men and ships annually.

"It caused no alarm anywhere in the world this year when England's fleet and the French fleet held their annual maneuvers. It causes no alarm in this country when the Japanese hold their annual maneuvers. In the recent cruise of a Japanese squadron to the coast of California, and the Panama Canal, much good feeling was created and many friendships made between the visiting Japanese squadron and the Americans on the West coast. I am enclosing a message from the Minister of Marine of Japan and a copy of a letter from the president of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco on this subject.

"The movements of the ships of foreign nations for the purpose of training their men or for friendly visits creates no fear in us as they are both proper things for a sovereign nation to do. There is no reason to believe that the annual training of our men or our friendly visits are looked upon any differently by foreign nations than we look upon their routine cruises and training.

"It is true that some misinformed newspaper reporter or misinformed public speaker will make more of a routine matter than it deserves or may endeavor to put a wrong meaning upon the Government's action. Others speak not knowing all the facts.

"But I am sure that if they, or if you, were possessed of all the information on these things, as the Government is, these speakers and writers would not attempt to hamper their Government in its efforts to promote friendship abroad and to make certain of our ability to maintain peace for our own land."

NOCE CASE BRIEF CLAIMS CADET
SERVICE CREDITED BY 1920 ACT

THAT the language of the act of May 18, 1920, will admit of no other construction than that Army officers should receive credit for service in the Military Academy was contended in the brief submitted by Gen. Samuel T. Ansell and Col. Edward S. Bailey, to the Supreme Court, in the test case of Capt. Daniel Noce, U.S.A.

The attorneys contended that the Government was attempting to read into the provision on which the case was won in the Court of Claims a meaning which could not be found either in the decisions of the courts or the dictionary. The provision around which the case was argued provides:

"That hereafter longevity pay for officers in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Public Health Service, Coast and Geodetic Survey, shall be based on the total of all service in any or all of said services."

CONTEND IMPLIED REPEAL

It was contended by the attorneys for Captain Noce that this repeals by implication the so-called Hay provision in the Army Appropriation Act of August 24, 1912, which reads:

"That hereafter the service of a cadet who may hereafter be appointed to the United States Military Academy, or to the Naval Academy, shall not be counted for computing for any purpose the length of service of any officer of the Army."

After reciting on what grounds the Court of Claims rendered a decision in favor of

Captain Noce, the brief goes on to give the history of the Hay amendment. The former chairman of the House Committee on Military Affairs is now Justice Hay, of the Court of Claims. The brief says:

"The act of July 5, 1888 (5 Stats. 256) and subsequent legislation, especially that in the Army Appropriation Acts of 1881 and 1882 (21 Stats. 346; 22 Stats. 118), authorized longevity pay for service in the Army, and this court held in the Morton case, 112 U. S. 1 (1884), and in the Watson case, 188 U. S. 80 (1889), that West Point cadet service was service in the Army and should be counted for such longevity pay. For all these years such was the law until 1912, when the Hon. James Hay, chairman of the House Committee on Military Affairs, placed in the Army Appropriation Bill a proviso to the effect that West Point cadet service should not be counted in computing for any purpose the length of service of any officer of the Army, active or retired, which as finally enacted into law was made to apply not to officers and cadets already in the Service but only to those to enter the Academy thereafter; that is, after August 24, 1912."

To prove that a cadet enters the Army when he is appointed to the Military Academy, the attorneys quote the oath taken by Captain Noce, which is as follows:

"I, Daniel Noce, of the State of Colorado, aged 18 years and 9 months, do hereby engage, with the consent of my mother, that from the date of my appointment as a cadet of the United States Military Academy I will serve in the Army of the United States for eight years,

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MARINE CORPS TEST IS
SCHEDULED FOR JULY 1

Will Be First Examination
Held Under Changes
In Manual

ORDER UP 30 OFFICERS

THIRTY Marine Corps officers will be ordered up for examination for promotion about July, according to present plans of the Headquarters. They will include 2 lieutenant colonels, 5 majors, 7 captains, 6 first lieutenants, and 10 second lieutenants.

This will be the first examination conducted under the changes in the Marine Corps Manual under the date of November 21. Under this circular the Board will base its questions on the latest edition of the following publications, except as noted in Section 1338 of the Naval Courts and Boards, 1823:

BOOKS ARE LISTED

Navy Regulations, Navy Department General Orders, Marine Corps Manual, Marine Corps Orders, Circulars and Instructions, System of Accountability, Instructions Governing Transportation of Troops and Supplies for the U. S. Marine Corps, Manual of the Paymaster's Department, U. S. Marine Corps.

Naval Ordnance, U. S. Naval Academy; Naval Courts and Boards; Elements of International Law—Davis; Field Service Regulations, U. S. Army; Deck and Boat Book, U. S. Navy; Landing Force Manual, U. S. Navy; Engineer Field Manual; Pamphlet on Equitation, General Service Schools; Horses, Bridles and Saddles—Carter; Rules of Land Warfare; Training Regulations, War Department, and Pistol Marksmanship, U. S. Army.

The following is the list of officers who will be examined for promotion:

Lt. Cols. Richard S. Hooker, Norman G. Burton; Majs. Fred D. Kilgore, William P. Upshur, William M. Small, Robert B. Farquharson and Charles R. Sanderson.

Capt. Benjamin A. Moeller, Clyde H. Metcalf, Harold C. Pierce, Norman C. Bates, Harry K. Pickett, Maurice S. Berry and John B. Sebree.

First Lts. J. N. Popham, Richard O. Sanderson, Henry S. Hausmann, F. M. Howard, Edwin J. Mund, Lee H. Brown.

Second Lts. W. W. Davies, B. L. Bell, Vernon E. Megee, A. W. Cockrell, J. M. Smith, W. H. Doyle, E. E. Linsert, O. H. Wheeler, T. L. Cagle, J. D. Humphrey.

CAPTAIN FRAZIER TO RETIRE

CAPT. JOHN B. FRAZIER, ranking officer of the Chaplain Corps of the Navy, will be retired at his own request after 30 years' service, in September. Orders have been issued granting Captain Frazier leave from June 1 until the date of his retirement.

Captain Frazier was born at Tazewell Court House, Va., December 19, 1870. He was appointed May 25, 1895, from the Methodist Episcopal Church (South), from Tennessee.

During the Spanish-American War, Captain Frazier was attached to the U.S.S. Olympia, Admiral Dewey's flagship, in Battle of Manila Bay. He has served on the U.S.S. Adams, U.S.S. Alert, U.S.S. Washington, at Port Royal, S. C., Naval Training Stations, San Francisco, Calif., Norfolk, Va., and at Hampton Roads, and at the navy yard, Mare Island. He also served at the naval stations at Cavite and Tutuila, Samoa. At present he is on duty as senior chaplain at Hampton Roads, Va.

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REGULAR CHAPLAINS AND RESERVES HOLD COUNCIL

FIFTEEN Reserve and 14 Regular Army chaplains in the vicinity of Washington held a Council of Chaplains this week in the War Department, beginning on April 22 and concluding on April 24, with a view to becoming more familiar with the purposes and policies of the Department as they relate to chaplains and to recommend such procedure as may strengthen the program of moral and religious training for soldiers. During their three-day meeting in the Capital the council listened to four addresses, as follows:

"Greetings and Welcome," from the Assistant Secretary of War, the Hon. Dwight F. Davis; "The Reservists' Place in National Security," by Lt. Col. H. C. Dickinson, General Staff, G-3; "Welfare Work in the Army," by Chaplain W. R. Arnold, Ft. Hancock, N. J.; and "Some Phases of Inactive Duty Training," by Lt. Col. A. J. Klein, General Staff, G-3. Prior to the arrival of the council members in Washington they were divided into five committees to deliberate upon special phases of the activities of chaplains. Problems pertaining to procurement, training, duties, civilian relations and national security were presented by the committees for consideration of the whole group.

Following are the Reserve chaplains who attended the council:

Jason Noble Pierce, B.A., D.D., division chaplain, 2d Division, A.E.F., pastor 1st Congregational Church, Washington, D. C. Morris S. Lazaron, B.A., M.A., World War service; rabbi, Baltimore Hebrew Congregation; secretary Central Conference American Rabbis. Francis P. Duffy, A.B., A.M., P.H.D., L.L.D., A.E.F., 165th New York National Guard; D.S.C., D.S.M.; rector Holy Cross Church, New York City. Charles S. Macfarland, B.D., P.H.D., general secretary Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. John M. Thomas, A.B., D.D., L.L.D., World War service; president Pennsylvania State College.

George M. Diffenderfer, A.B., A.M., D.D., pastor Luther Place Memorial Church, Washington, D. C. John P. Tyler, Th.G., A.E.F., 83d Division; pastor M. E. Church South, Washington, D. C. John N. McCormick, B.D., D.D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Grand Rapids, Mich. Scott P. Wagner, A.B., D.D., World War service; pastor Reformed U. S. Church, Hagerstown, Md. Hugh A. Dalton, A.J., A.B., A.M., World War service; pastor Holy Trinity Church, Washington, D. C., and Ignatius Fealy, ex-chaplain, U.S.A., pastor St. Agnes Church, Woodlawn, Md.

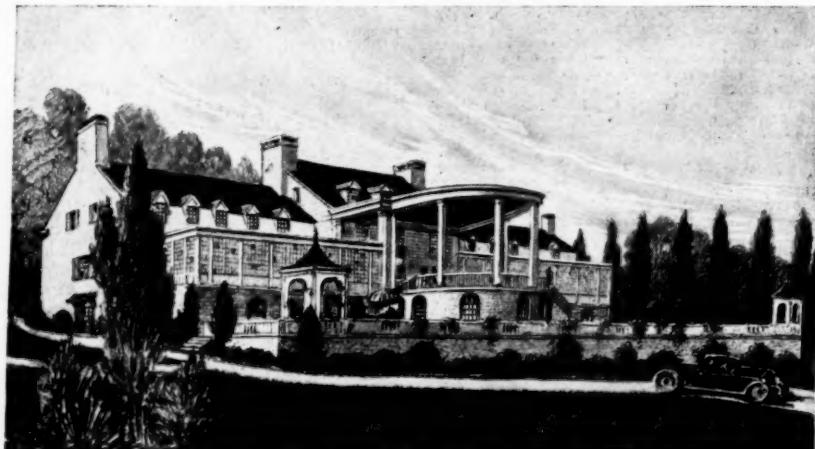
Franklin I. Winter, A.B., A.E.F., assistant minister, 1st Congregational Church, Washington, D. C. Hugh K. Fulton, World War service; pastor Northminster Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C. Ernest R. Holz, adjutant, secretary Potowmack Division, the Salvation Army. Joseph R. Sizoo, A.B., A.M., Th.B., pastor New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C. George C. Stull, A.B., A.M., lieutenant colonel, chaplain, U.S.A., retired.

Regular Army chaplains: Chaplains Walter K. Lloyd, Camp Meade, Md.; Thomas E. Swan, Ft. Jay, N. Y.; Wallace H. Watts, Ft. Humphreys, Va.; John Hall, Walter Reed General Hospital; Milton O. Beebe, Ft. Myer, Va.; George F. Rixey, Ft. Washington, Md.; Ivan G. Martin, Ft. Howard, Md.; Robert C. Watkins, Ft. Eustis, Va.; Charles W. B. Hill, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Frank M. Thompson, Camp Holabird, Md.; William R. Arnold, Ft. Hancock, N. J.; John T. Axton, War Department; Julian E. Yates, War Department; and Benjamin J. Tarskey, War Department.

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miral Caperton, with the U.S.S. Washington. Here he developed a remarkable system for the collection and accounting of the duties when the customhouse at Haiti was taken over by the Navy. He showed rare ability as an organizer and administrator at this place. During the World War, Captain Morris served on the U.S.S. Texas as a member of the staff of Rear Adm. W. L. Rogers, as fleet supply officer, and at the New York Navy Yard. From the Battle Fleet, Captain Morris came to the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, where he was on duty at the time he was appointed.

D. C. COUNTRY CLUB FOR THE SERVICES



THE above is a picture of the proposed Country Club for officers of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, to be located in Washington, D. C. The project has been endorsed by the Secretary of the Navy; the Assistant Secretary of War; Gen. John L. Hines, U.S.A., Chief of Staff; Adm. E. W. Eberle, U.S.N., Chief of Naval Operations; and Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, U.S.M.C., Commandant Marine Corps.

RESERVE OFFICERS CAN BUY FROM Q. M. C. STORES

THE Quartermaster General has made the following arrangements for the convenience of the officers of the Reserve Corps in obtaining uniforms and other equipment required by them:

Uniforms ready made and accoutrements for the equipment of officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps may be obtained by purchase from the Officer in Charge, Quartermaster General Sales Stores, at the following points:

Army Base, Boston 9, Mass.; Chicago Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, 1819 West Pershing Road, Chicago, Ill.; Governors Island, N. Y.; Philadelphia Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, Twenty-first Street and Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.; Ft. Benning, Ga.; Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.; Ft. Riley, Kans.; 8th Corps General Area Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Ft. Sill, Okla.; Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.; Washington General Intermediate Depot, Twenty-first and C Streets, Washington, D. C. (no uniforms carried in stock); Corozal, C. Z.; Honolulu, Hawaii; Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, and Manila, P. I.

A Reserve Officer desiring to make purchases is required to identify himself, whether ordering in person or by mail. This may be done by furnishing a copy of the official orders received, an extract from commission or letter of appointment, or personal introduction.

Where practicable, a Reserve Officer should visit the most conveniently located sales store in person. Where such visit is not practicable, he should correspond directly with the officer in charge of the Quartermaster General Sales Store located in his vicinity, stating the articles desired, the amounts of these articles previously purchased, and certifying that the articles ordered are required for his personal use when called into active Federal service. He should also request definite information concerning the price, additional certificate required, and any other information pertaining to his order. If he already has this information available, he may, of course, submit his order direct, including a money order or draft to cover the cost of same, and give the necessary shipping instructions, authorizing shipment by express or freight collect.

Should a Reserve Officer prefer special-measurement uniform in place of ready-made uniform, it will be necessary for him to write to the Officer in Charge, Quartermaster General Sales Store, Philadelphia Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, Twenty-first Street and Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., requesting special measurement blanks (Q.M.C. Form 164), samples of uniform cloth, prices, etc. If practicable, he may visit tailoring establishments for the manufacture of custom-made uniforms at the following points:

Eighth Corps General Area Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., or Headquarters, District of Washington, Twentieth and C Streets, Washington, D. C.

REPORT C. M. T. C. QUOTA FIFTY PERCENT FILLED

REPORTS received at the War Department up to April 20 indicate that about 50 per cent of the required applications for the Citizens' Military Training Camps have been received. The indications are that the entire 35,000, which is the minimum to be trained, could be filled from those who have taken one or more years' training. The "reenlistments" are proving somewhat embarrassing to the authorities, as the War Department desires very much to have about 50 per cent old and 50 per cent new students at each camp.

The subjoined is the comparative figures as compiled in the War Department:

The 1st Corps Area has 1,794 approved applications, as compared with 1,348 for 1924; the 2d, 2,607, as compared with 1,685 for 1924; the 3d Corps Area, 1,918, as compared with 1,402 for 1924; the 4th Corps Area, 4,104, as compared with 3,638; the 5th Corps Area, 4,660, as compared with 1,638; the 6th Corps Area, 3,870, as compared with 2,430; the 7th Corps Area, 1,214, as compared with 1,016; the 8th Corps Area, 1,334, as compared with 1,457 for last year; and the 9th Corps Area, 2,128, as compared with 1,643.

The minimum to be trained in each corps area follows:

First Corps Area, 3,000; 2d, 4,700; 3d, 3,900; 4th Corps Area, 4,000; 5th Corps Area, 4,200; 6th, 3,900; 7th Corps Area, 4,900; 8th Corps Area, 3,400; 9th Corps Area, 3,000; or a total of 35,000.

ESTABLISH 8 FORESTS ON ARMY RESERVATIONS

HON. DWIGHT F. DAVIS, Acting Secretary of War, recently made the following statement:

"Ever since Mr. Weeks took office, he has been interested in arranging for the establishment of national forests on military reservations. Due largely to his efforts, legal authority for the establishment of these forests by joint action of the War and Agriculture Departments was given by the Act of Congress of June 7, 1924. In accordance with the provisions of this act, national forests have already been established by Executive Order on the following military reservations: Ft. Benning, Ga., Camp McClellan, Ala., and Camp Jackson, S. C.

The President has signed an Executive Order establishing national forests on the eight following military reservations: Pine Plains, N. Y.; Camp Upton, N. Y.; Camp Dix, N. J.; Tobyhanna Artillery Range, Pa.; Camp Meade, Md.; Ft. Humphreys, Va.; Ft. Eustis, Va.; and Ft. Lee, Va.

Joint investigation by the War and Agriculture Departments with a view to selecting more national forests on military reservations is continuing.

PLAN TO START NAVY POLAR DASH IN JUNE

ALTHOUGH no definite date was set for the polar dash at a conference on April 20 between officers of the Navy, McMillan and his representatives and representatives of the National Geographic Society, it is understood the expedition will start about the middle of June. It was also denied at the meeting that the polar expedition would be made self-sustaining.

Condensed food will be carried, condensed beef, barley and oats, a small amount only of which is necessary for a day's ration. Small tents and rubber canoes will also be placed in the planes.

The regular Navy flying clothes will be worn by the party, but it is expected that after they reach Etah that Eskimo outfit may be obtained.

The planes are going to the Naval Aircraft Factory in Philadelphia for tuning up and testing, and all flight preparations will be made there. The planes will fly to Wiscasset, Me., where they will be dismantled and shipped on a fighting vessel.

Among those present at the conference were: Adm. Edward W. Eberle, Chief of Naval Operations; Dr. Gilbert H. Grosvenor, president, and Mr. John Oliver La Gorce, vice president, National Geographic Society; Mr. E. F. McDonald, in charge of radio communication on McMillan-Navy expedition; Lt. Comdr. Richard E. Byrd (ret.), Bureau of Aeronautics; Comdr. John T. G. Stapler, Office of Naval Intelligence, and Lt. T. T. Patterson.

Added to the volunteers listed at present for the expedition are the following: Lt. (j.g.) M. A. Schur, U.S.N. He is 31 years old, and was born at Marshfield, Oreg. He entered the Navy from civil life in 1912; entered naval aviation in December, 1916; was officer in charge of aviation ground school, Dunwoody Naval Training School, Minneapolis, Minn., from January, 1918, to January, 1919. Since the war, Lt. Schur's duties have included flight instructor at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif.; pilot in the Aircraft Squadrons with the Battle Fleet on the Pacific Coast from October, 1921, to May, 1923, and flight instructor at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., where he has been stationed since leaving the Fleet Air Squadron.

Lieutenant Schur was a member of the team of Navy pilots in the international air races at St. Louis, Mo., in October, 1923. He came in second in the Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis trophy race during the meet, piloting a Navy Douglas-Wright plane at a speed of 107 miles per hour over a distance of 300 kilometers.

Chf. Bos'n Earl E. Reber, U.S.N. He is 36 years old and was born in Chicago. He has been in the Navy 17 years, including two years with the Asiatic Fleet, two years at the Bremerton Navy Yard and four years with the Pacific Fleet, all prior to his entrance into naval aviation. He entered naval aviation in December, 1916, at the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla.; in April, 1917, after having completed the student aviator's course, he was detailed to the Naval Air Station at Hampton Roads, Va. For seven months in 1917 he was a flight instructor at the aviation ground school at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

During 1918, Boatswain Reber was a patrol and test pilot at the Naval Air Station at Chatham, Mass. During 1919 and until April, 1920, he was at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif. While there he rounded out his aviation knowledge by a course in land-plane flying. From October, 1920, until May, 1923, Boatswain Reber was a pilot with the Aircraft Squadron of the Battle Fleet in the Pacific. He served in torpedo-plane squadrons, spotting-plane squadrons and fighting-plane squadrons. In May, 1923, he was sent to the Naval Aircraft Factory at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, where he has been stationed since that time.

Boatswain Reber was a member of the team of Navy pilots taking part in the International Air Races at St. Louis, Mo., in October, 1923. He was in the same race at that meet as Lieutenant Schur, the Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis Trophy Race, in which he was forced to land due to engine trouble, after having completed the first lap at a higher speed than any of the other contestants.

NEED RADIO MEN

THE Coast Guard Service at this time lacks 22 radio men of having a full radio complement. The statement below shows the number of vacancies:

Rating—Chief radioman, 16; radioman, first class, 28; radioman, second class, 1; radioman, third class, 23 in excess.

GIVE HEAVY MOBILE ARTILLERY STATUS

Announce Various Models Adopted By Army Since War

DETAILS ARE DESCRIBED

PREVIOUS to the World War there was no heavy mobile artillery in our service, such as the heavy artillery of the Army used during the war. The missions of the heavy artillery are special, such as counter-battery, interdiction, and destruction mainly at long ranges which fall beyond the activities or capabilities of the mobile (corps) artillery.

It is a part of the G.H.Q. Reserve artillery, which was organized during the World War as Army artillery. There is also in the G.H.Q. Reserve additional light and medium artillery as well as special-purpose materiel, such as pack artillery, trench artillery, railway guns, super guns and howitzers classed under their particular type, such as light, pack, etc., which will not be discussed here.

The requirements for heavy mobile artillery during the war led to the adoption of types as follows:

GUNS

Six-inch gun, Mk. VIIIA (British), elevation 38 degrees; 8-degree traverse; range, 19,650 yards; weight in firing position, 22,512 pounds. The 155-mm. gun, model 1918, G.P.F., has an elevation of 35 degrees, a 60-degree traverse, has a range of 17,160 yards and a firing-position weight of 25,960 pounds.

HOWITZERS

The 8-inch howitzer, Mk. VII, has 50-degree elevation; traverse, 8 degrees; a range of 19,760 yards and a firing-position weight of 20,050 pounds. The 9.2-inch howitzer, Mk. II, has an elevation of 50 degrees; traverse, 60 degrees; a range of 10,060 yards and the weight of this piece in firing position is 35,500 pounds. The 240-mm. howitzer, model 1918 (Schneider), has an elevation of 60 degrees, a traverse of 20 degrees, a range of 14,280 yards and a firing-position weight of 41,296 pounds.

Of the guns mentioned, the 155-mm. G.P.F., model 1918, was the preferred type used in our service. This unit was regarded as very satisfactory, except for its range, which is somewhat short of that desired for heavy artillery. The carriage is of the split-trail type, providing a wide field of fire without shifting the carriage. In order to change from the traveling to the firing position, it is necessary to jack up the carriage and secure the axle to the bottom carriage by a pin in order to remove the load from the pin.

The 6-inch gun is mounted on the same carriage as the 8-inch howitzer. The units available were considered best for use as howitzer materials, however, so that very few of the 6-inch guns were used.

NOE CASE BRIEF CLAIMS CADET SERVICE CREDIT

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unless sooner discharged by competent authority."

The points at issue between the Government and Captain Noe are brought out in the subjoined:

"Appellant's contention: That the statute simply permits combinations of service between the several Services without affecting the various kinds of service within any of the several Services; that is, established 'equality' between Services, ignoring inequalities within them."

"Appellee's contention: That the statute means what it clearly says: Longevity pay shall be based on the total of all service—that is, of whatever kind and in whatever capacity rendered—in any or all—that is, in one or more, or all—of said Services."

Discussing the contention of the Government that the counting of cadet service was a discrimination in favor of a class of officers, the attorneys for Captain Noe say:

"As to the 'discrimination' in favor of West Point officers, and against others, as to which appellant's brief assumes so much, little need be said. In fact, it has never existed. With the exception of the Hay report, no mention can be found of such discrimination in the annals of our Government; this for the simple reason that none ever existed: every other kind of service in the Army counted. It may be observed that since 1912 there has been an extension to include service outside of the Army."

Contending that cadets are as much a part of the Army as any regiment in the

line, the attorneys for Captain Noe set forth:

"Under existing as well as all previous Army Organization Acts, the cadets at the United States Military Academy are as much a part of the Regular Army as any regiment of the line. The more recent statutes enumerating cadets as component parts of the Regular Army are the National Defense Acts, 39 Stats. 166; 41 Stats. 759. By statute cadets serve under engagement for service in the Army, under an oath for faithful performance of military duty, and are subject to the Rules and Articles of War."

"The Hay provision did not undertake to say that service as a cadet is not service in the Army; on the other hand, it accepted as a premise that service as a cadet was service in the Army but provided that it should not count for longevity purposes (that is, for an increase of Service pay, promotion and retirement)."

Aside from judicial decisions and legislative declarations, the attorneys claim that the history of the Cadet Corps shows clearly that they are in the military service from the day of their entrance.

The concluding paragraph of the brief is as follows:

"The sole organic purpose of the act of May 18, 1920, was to increase the pay of officers of the Army, which Congress now found to be hopelessly inadequate. Section 6 of the act of 1912 was injected into an annual appropriation act at a time when the proclaimed purpose was not to increase pay but to decrease all military expenditures. The provision of 1920 speaks clearly, unmistakably, and, as might naturally be expected in view of the diametrically opposite purposes behind the two pieces of legislation, it speaks in terms of positive conflict with the provision of 1912, in respect of longevity pay. Thus speaking, as we respectfully submit it does speak, Section 11 of the act of May 18, 1920, must prevail."

CHANGES IN THE MILITIA BUREAU CONTEMPLATED

ORDERS have been or shortly will be issued by the War Department detaching eight officers now on duty in the Militia Bureau. Of this number, four will be ordered to attend courses of instruction at the various Service schools, one will probably be designated instructor of a National Guard regiment in California, one will be on temporary duty in the office of the Chief of Finance prior to his assignment to foreign service within the next two or three months, while the new stations of two of the outgoing officers is unknown. Up to the present, five officers have been designated to assume their new duties in the bureau.

Col. R. H. Van Deman, Inf., Chief of the Planning Section, it is understood, will be assigned to the 159th Infantry Regiment, California National Guard, as instructor. It is inferred that after spending about a year with this regiment that the Colonel will go to 9th Corps Area Headquarters as officer in charge of National Guard affairs. As the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL went to press, the new assignments of Cols. George F. Baltzell, Inf., Chief of the Training Section, and Perry L. Miles, Inf., Chief of the Organization Section, had not been definitely decided.

Lt. Col. Theodore Schultz, F.D., who has been on duty in the Finance and Supply Section, will, until his departure for foreign service within the next two or three months, be on temporary duty in the office of the Chief of Finance, Majs. Frank Thorp, Jr., F.A.; George W. Easterday, C.A.C.; and D. N. Swan, Jr., C.A.C., all of whom are on duty in the Training Section, will take courses of instruction at the Field Artillery School, Ft. Sill, Okla.; Coast Artillery School, Ft. Monroe, Va.; and the Army War College, Washington, D. C., respectively. Capt. Ray B. Conner, Inf., who has been on duty in the Personnel Section, has been assigned to the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as a student.

The incoming officers who so far have been designated to proceed to Washington for duty in the Militia Bureau are as follows: Lt. Col. John P. McAdams, Inf., and Majs. Thomas G. M. Oliphant, F.A.; Charles O. Schudt, C.A.C.; B. L. Jacobson, F.D.; and D. S. Lenzner, C.A.C. Though their identity has not yet been made known, a few more officers will be ordered to duty in this office, and it is expected that the changes in stations will all be accomplished by July 15.

TO ISSUE RESERVE CIRCULAR

THE War Department will shortly issue a circular giving the minimum professional qualifications for appointment to the Officers' Reserve Corps and the standard qualifications for promotion in all branches.

They will be an elaboration of Army Regulations 140-5 on O.R.C. and will go into effect July 1.

The authority to put them into effect is placed in the hands of the corps area commanders. They will report to the War Department on July 1, 1926, the result of their operations for the year.

ARMY'S TORNADO AID LAUDED BY GOVERNOR

Illinois Executive Sends Letter Praising Prompt Assistance

PEACE VALUE IS STRESSED

APPRECIATION of the peace-time value of the Army to communities in distress was expressed by Gov. Len Small, of Illinois, recently in a personal letter to Col. Clyfford Game, Q.M.C., of the Regular Army, for the prompt tornado aid rendered to southern Illinois victims by the Chicago Quartermaster Intermediate Depot.

In his reply to the Governor's letter Colonel Game emphasized the desire of the Army to help during periods of disaster, writing: "The Army in general, and the Quartermaster Corps in particular, desires that every citizen should realize that every agency of the Army will do its utmost to render promptly every practicable assistance during such periods of stress and suffering."

OVERLOOKED BY PACIFISTS

In military circles surprise was expressed that such organizations as the National Council for the Prevention of War and other organizations advocating disarmament should overlook this opportunity of lauding the Army for its real service to humanity in monthly bulletins which they publish concerning activities of the military and naval forces of the United States.

The text of the letter sent to Colonel Game by Gov. Len Small, who acted as spokesman for the citizens of Illinois, reads as follows:

"I have been informed, and have seen substantial evidence, of your very wonderful cooperation and assistance in the relief for tornado victims in southern Illinois.

"I feel that I should express to you my sincere thanks and the appreciation of the people of our state for all you have done to alleviate conditions in the devastated area. Your prompt and generous action in furnishing garrison equipage was very fine."

Colonel Game's reply:

"Your very commendatory letter of the 11th instant in which you express the thanks and appreciation of yourself and the people of Illinois for the prompt assistance rendered by the Chicago Quartermaster Intermediate Depot during your recent very great affliction is very greatly appreciated and its contents will be made known to every employee of this depot.

The Chicago depot feels gratified that it is situated so as to be capable of responding promptly in assisting in relieving the very great suffering caused by the recent tornado. The Army in general, and the Quartermaster Corps in particular, desires that every citizen should realize that every agency of the Army will do its utmost to render promptly every practicable assistance during such periods of stress and suffering."

The following report was made concerning aid rendered by the Army to tornado sufferers in southern Illinois:

"On the night of March 18, 1925, Col. Clyfford Game, Q.M.C., commanding officer of the Chicago Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, was called by long-distance telephone from Springfield, Ill., by Adj. Gen. C. E. Black, of the State of Illinois, and informed that a calamity in the nature of a tornado had occurred to the people in the southern part of the State of Illinois and adjoining portions of the States of Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky on the 18th day of March, 1925.

"Colonel Game was requested to send the following supplies by way of the Illinois Central Railroad fast freight and consign same to Col. S. O. Tripp, Assistant Quartermaster General, Illinois National Guard, at Carbondale, Ill.: One thousand pyramidal tents, 1,000 Sibley stoves, 4,000 cots, 4,000 pillows, 4,000 bed sacks, and 12,000 blankets.

WORKED ALL NIGHT

"Colonel Game and his military and civilian assistants worked during the night of March 18-19 getting out the supplies, which immediately went forward in 11 cars and arrived at Carbondale at 11 p. m., March 19, 30 hours after the time of the disaster.

"First Lt. Frank Dunn, Q.M.C., and Warrant Officer John W. Tarnosky, U.S.A., accompanied the property to southern Illinois and represented Colonel Game in turning it over to the accredited representative of the Governor of Illinois. Most cordial cooperation was obtained from the state authorities of Illinois. Because of the efficiency and courteous work of Lieu-

tenant Dunn and Warrant Officer Tarnosky, Colonel Game received a number of letters of commendation from officials in charge of relief committees in the tornado area.

"On March 22 an additional request for 500 pyramidal tents with the necessary poles and pins was received. The additional tents went forward the same day and were received at Carbondale on March 23.

"The total cost of the supplies furnished was \$166,672.95. All supplies furnished were taken from stock at the Chicago depot and no obligations were incurred for purchases."

ARMY WAR COLLEGE TO HOLD JUNE EXERCISES

AN unusually interesting and profitable year of the Army War College will come to a close on June 29 by the usual graduating exercises. The speakers have not yet been selected, but it is assumed that the Chief of Staff will be asked to present the diplomas. The Secretary of War will also deliver an address, and there may be another speaker.

The program has not been arranged to that extent of fixing the dates, but it has been decided to conduct terrain exercises at Camp Dix. There will also be a staff ride on the larger problem of the defense of New England and the industrial districts. Up to last year, these rides were over the battlefields of Virginia, of the Civil War. Sooner or later, the hope is expressed that these rides can be conducted on the Pacific coast, especially in the Northwest, where there are some large problems of defense. It has been suggested that the class be placed on a transport and sent through the Panama Canal.

The class at the War College this year consists of 70 Regular Army students, 3 from the Navy, and 3 from the Marine Corps. During the year 45 National Guard and Reserve officers took the G-1, G-2 and G-4 courses.

On a number of occasions members of Congress have attended lectures.

ARMY BAND HAS HEAVY PROGRAM IN NEW YORK

COMMENCING yesterday and continuing to April 28, the Army Band is the center of a number of musical events in New York City that will attract nationwide attention. Originally it was planned to send the band to New York to participate in the American Legion memorial, tendered to General Pershing. But there is such a demand in New York to see and hear the band that three days are crowded with affairs which have been arranged by the theatrical and musical world of the metropolis.

Under the program, the band left Washington at 8:50 on April 24. On the train it was the guest of the B. & O. Railroad, which served a lunch to the members of the organization. The band was met by the Government boat at Jersey City at 2 p. m. and taken immediately to Governors Island. That evening it played at a dance given in honor of Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, commandant of the 2d Corps Area.

This evening the band is the guest of the National Vaudeville Association, at the Artists' Club, at a banquet. At 8 p. m. General Pershing was tendered a reception by 200 distinguished guests headed by the Governor of New York and several Governors of near-by states. Immediately after the reception the Army Band will escort General Pershing to the Hippodrome, where the party is to be met by about 100 vaudeville and theatrical stars of Greater New York.

The Army Band will open the program with "The Memories of the World War," composed by Captain Stannard. The Army Band is to be reinforced by the 18th Infantry Band and the Navy Band, forming a massed band under the direction of John Philip Sousa.

In the course of the proceedings a bronze tablet will be presented to General Pershing by four Medal of Honor men. The tablet is a present from the American Legion.

The concert to be given by the band at Central Park on Sunday from 4 p. m. until 5:30 p. m. promises to be one of the most notable affairs of the trip of the band to New York. It will not only be amplified to an immense audience but will be broadcasted. Monday the band will go to Brooklyn and give a concert at the Prospect Park. It will be back in New York Monday evening at the Astor Hotel at 8:30, where it will give a concert and reception to invited guests from the musical world in New York. The band will not return to Washington until Tuesday, April 23.

NAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS MAKE GOOD RECORD

THAT the Navy has been conducting a systematic antiaircraft target practice, and that it is effective, is the statement which Secretary of Navy Wilbur made in connection with the data for the year of 1924 and 1925, which was given out at the Department on April 20. It is estimated by the Secretary that if the sleeves, which were the targets, were as large as bombing planes, that there would have been 95 per cent hits.

In this connection, it is explained that by hits it is meant that one or more shots in an attack by an airplane reaches its mark. No statement is made of the number of shots that are fired at any of the approaches. The altitude of the targets, it is stated, was from 4,000 to 5,000 feet, this being as high as the sleeves could be towed by the machines which were used for this purpose. The sleeves were actually shot down on two battleship practices and on one light cruiser practice.

The following is the table, giving the details of the reports from the Fleet. It should be borne in mind, the Secretary states, that a sleeve is 1-11th the size of a bombing plane.

Number of ships reporting: Battleships, 16; light cruisers, 2; total 18. Number of practices reported: Battleships, 36; light cruisers, 6; total, 42. Number of guns firing in salvo: Battleships, 4; light cruisers, 2; total, —. Number of practices on which towed sleeve was hit: Battleships, 17; light cruisers 3; total, 20. Per cent of targets hit: Battleships 47 per cent; light cruisers, 50 per cent; total 46 per cent.

SERVICE PROMOTIONS AND RETIREMENTS

The following named Lieutenants (j.g.) have become eligible for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant from April 22, 1925:

1. Wallace H. Gregg; 2. Milton P. Wilson; 3. James P. McCarthy; 4. Charles R. Price; 5. William G. Dow; 6. Thomas J. Bay; 7. John P. Bowling; 8. Harold B. Herty; 9. Edgar L. Adams; 10. Albert M. Wright; 11. Samuel S. Fried; 12. Fred J. Barden; 13. Paul L. Mather; 14. Herbert H. Taylor; 15. Floyd J. Nuber.

16. Ralph W. Flooky; 17. Charles H. H. Miller; 18. Edwin C. Millhouse; 19. George G. Reilly; 20. Charles R. Will; 21. Leon G. DeBrough; 22. Joseph A. Guard; 23. Paul G. Wren; 24. Glenn S. Holman; 25. Clarence L. Waters; 26. Ralph L. Lovejoy; 27. Myron T. Richardson; 28. James S. Warner; 29. Paul G. Haas; 30. James C. Taylor.

31. Harold W. Alden; 32. William M. M. Lohrman; 33. John A. Sedgwick; 34. Jackson R. Tate; 35. Arthur W. Peterson; 36. Lawrence F. Blodgett; 37. Clarence H. Pike; 38. Alan Winslow; 39. Howard W. Bradbury; 40. George E. Twining; 41. Russell D. Bell; 42. Charles C. Ferrenz; 43. James S. Haughey; 44. Joseph W. Mullally.

45. Henry L. Naff; 46. James B. Bliss; 47. Clyde A. Coggins; 48. Robert W. Broughter; 49. Sidney L. Huff; 50. Otto F. Johanns; 51. George E. Kenyon; 52. Harry Redfern; 53. Hugo F. Sasse; 54. Carl E. Wiencke; 55. Frederick I. Farrell; 56. James M. Fernald; 57. Benjamin S. Henderson; 58. Maurice A. O'Connor; 59. Clifford B. Schiano.

60. Albert R. Buehler; 61. William B. Coleman; 62. Thomas F. Hayes; 63. Elder F. Johnson; 64. Benjamin C. Purrington; 65. Irving B. Smith; 66. Robert F. Stockin; 67. Harold J. Walker; 68. Florentine P. Wencker; 69. Arthur H. Small; 70. Ralph W. Bowers; 71. James H. Foskett; 72. Harry D. Goldy; 73. Malcolm D. MacGregor; 74. Anton L. Mare.

75. James J. McGlynn; 76. John D. Murphy; 77. Joseph H. Seyfried; 78. William L. Travis; 79. Benton B. Baker; 80. Donald M. Weld; 81. Cyril E. Taylor; 82. Irvin M. Hansen; 83. Robert N. Permut; 84. Floyd Gillis.

85. Harold B. Corwin; 86. Edward R. J. Griffin; 87. John A. Pierson; 88. Albert L. Prosser; 89. Joseph S. Donnell, Jr.; 90. William L. Hickey; 91. Emanuel Taylor.

THE following Navy retirements were announced: Ch. Gun. Daniel W. Nelson, U.S.N., retired April 9, 1925, physical disability; Capt. Frank E. McCullough (M.C.), U.S.N., retired April 16, 1925, physical disability; and Lt. (j.g.) Morris B. Myers, U.S.N., retired April 16, 1925, physical disability.

TO CELEBRATE MOTHERS' DAY

A appeal to the commanding generals of the corps areas, the District of Columbia, and the commanders of exempted places to observe Mothers' Day on Sunday, May 10, has been sent out from the War Department through military channels. The corps area commanders are requested to extend invitations to the American Legion Auxiliary and the Gold Star Mothers to participate in the ceremony. The circular letter was sent out by Maj. Gen. Robert C. Davis, The Adjutant General, by the order of the Secretary of War. Numerous patriotic women's organizations are included in the invitation.

NAVY AIR SERVICE

THE Loening amphibian plane, two of which are to be used by the naval aviators under the command of Lt. Comdr. R. E. Byrd, U.S.N., with the MacMillan Arctic Expedition this Summer, embodies important innovations in airplane design and performance. Perhaps the most important departure from standard practice is in the power plant of the plane, a Liberty engine of 400 h. p., installed in an inverted position.

This places the propeller thrust at the top of the body of the plane, and the entire body, with the engine mount in the nose, is thus formed into a compact hull, offering the minimum of wind resistance. The lower portion of this hull, forming an integral part of the plane's body, is shaped for landing in the water. Mounted to this hull are the wheels for landing, which fold back into recesses provided. The lowering and retraction of the landing wheels is controlled by the pilot with an electric motor and switch. The hull is made exceptionally strong, entirely covered with

metal, and so shaped as to give the plane excellent seaworthiness.

The Loening amphibian is not the first amphibian plane designed in this country, but represents a stride in advance over previous models of planes designed to land either on the water or on the land. The weight of the plane is 3,300 pounds empty, and is capable of carrying a load of 2,200 pounds, including a pilot and observer, camera and radio equipment, and gasoline sufficient for a flight of some 1,000 miles. The high speed of the plane is almost 120 miles per hour, and it has attained an altitude of 14,000 feet in tests.

Because of the use to be made of this type in the Arctic this Summer with the MacMillan expedition, it is interesting to note that by the substitution of skis for wheels the plane can be landed on soft snow or hard ice, making it peculiarly well adapted for Arctic exploration. The planes with the expedition of MacMillan will be flown by Navy pilots and maintained by Navy mechanics.

NAVY SUPPLY CORPS

BY making new uses of the power tabulating machines in the bureau, extensive and valuable data is now assembled in regard to the movement of Navy freight. Appropriate cards now show in detail at short notice, the movement of Navy freight between the east and west coasts and between each navy yard, whether carried by Government transportation or by freight or by water. The flexibility of the present system is extremely valuable for ascertaining where and in what manner the heaviest drains are made on the freight appropriations.

UNDER a new method, activities from which airplanes made frequent flights are required to prepare an annual requisition to cover the purchase of gasoline and supplies and to cover repair costs, incurred by airplanes away from the base. The cognizant supply officers are required to furnish the flight officers with packets containing an identifying letter and proposal blanks for use while on flight. This method avoids difficulties heretofore experienced, both by flight officers and by merchants who furnished them supplies.

In the first place, it relieves the flight officer from embarrassment in explaining his right to obtain the articles on charge against the Government, and thus avoids situations whereunder otherwise he might have to pay his personal funds for the material and to secure reimbursement afterwards. In the second place, it makes

the purchase a lawful one for which payment can expeditiously be made direct to the merchant instead of his being put in the awkward position of having to make claim upon the General Accounting Office.

THE bureau has devised, and is now keeping, a much more accurate record of bills of exchange issued, drawn, and cancelled than formerly existed. The history of a bill of exchange will be complete from the time that it is issued in blank form to a particular officer to the time it returns to the Navy Department either as a negotiated bill of exchange or as a blank returned for custody or reissue.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made to have the next issue of the "Official Table of Distances" made more useful to Navy fiscal officers. This is an Army publication and up to this time has not included the distances from some naval stations and other places from which mileage or travel allowances are paid by Navy fiscal officers. Many such places will be included in the next issue. A detailed procedure for the determination of distances in computing payment of travel allowance to enlisted men for travel after discharge, both within and without the United States, has been issued under Department approval. The procedure was needed to clear up doubtful points and to avoid delay in paying the proper amount to the men on discharge.

LATE ORDERS FOR THE NAVY

Orders to Officers, April 21, 1925

Capt. R. H. Leigh to U. S. Fleet. Comdr. R. A. Abernathy to Nav. War Col. Newport, R. I.; J. H. Brooks to command U.S.S. Mervine.

Lt. Comdr. D. J. Callaghan to U.S.S. Colorado; P. L. Carroll to U.S.S. Nevada; W. Cochran to Nav. Acad., Annapolis, Md.; L. R. Gray to 14th Nav. Dist.; H. L. Merring to Nav. Yd., Washington, D. C.; H. E. Parsons to continue treatment U.S.S. Relief; J. R. Redman to Bu. of Eng.; E. S. Stone to Rec. Bks., Hampton Roads, Va.; F. P. Traynor to Nav. Sta., Virgin Islands; C. H. Wright to U.S.S. Omaha.

Lts. A. B. Alexander to Nav. Acad., Annapolis, Md.; C. T. Durgin to Bu. of Aero.; H. C. Fenger to U.S.S. S-23; E. J. McCluskey to Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I.; C. J. Palmer to U.S.S. Rigel; G. Schneider to continue treatment Nav. Hosp., Boston, Mass.; J. A. Terhune to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lts. (j.g.) J. V. McElroy to temp. duty, Nav. Air. Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; J. P. Moncure to U.S.S. California; R. C. Moreau to Nav. Acad., Annapolis, Md.; E. A. J. Poehlmann to Nav. Yd., Mare Island, Calif.; M. A. Schur to Bu. Aero., Washington, D. C.; E. A. Tarbutton, to treatment Nav. Hosp., Washington, D. C.

Ens. B. N. Bock to U.S.S. McCormick; E. A. Cruise to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; P. F. Dugan to U.S.S. Doyen; H. W. Goodall to U.S.S. Selfridge; J. C. Guillot to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; W. N. Hand to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; H. Hedrick to U.S.S. Texas; W. M. Hobby to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; H. A. Jones to U.S.S. Zeilin; H. E. Morgan to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; J. E. Murphy to U.S.S. Oklahoma; C. J. Naumiket to U.S.S. Utah; F. J. Nelson to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; J. B. Pearson to Nav. Acad., Annapolis, Md.; I. Och to continue duty U.S.S. Pittsburgh; N. Phillips to continue duty U.S.S. Tennessee; J. A. Ralph to U.S.S. Farragut; A. R. Sodergren to U.S.S. J. K. Paulding; A. F. Storrs to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; R. C. Strong to temp. duty Nav. Comm., Navy Dept.; M. T. Tichenor

to continue duty U.S.S. Arizona; J. P. W. Vest to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. Comdr. W. G. Farwell (M.C.) relieved all active duty; to home.

Lts. L. Dancer (S.C.) to U.S.S. Rigel; T. J. Mulcahy (S.C.) to Rec. Ship, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; F. Scherberger (S.C.) to Nav. Yd., Norfolk, Va.; F. C. Nyland (C.E.C.) to Bu. Yds. & Docks.

Capt. J. B. Frazier (Ch.C.) relieved all active duty; June 1, 1925; to home.

Comdr. C. W. Fisher (C.C.) to Nav. Yd., Mare Island, Calif.

Ch. Bosns. A. C. Buck to command U.S.S. Mohave; P. S. Nystrom to Rec. Ship, Boston, Mass.; E. E. Reber to Bu. Aero., Navy Dept.

Ch. Guns. M. Bergman to U.S.S. Raleigh; E. H. Callen to U.S.S. Camden; W. R. Dillow to Nav. Yd., Boston, Mass.; C. Jones to U.S.S. Savannah; A. R. Wolfe relieved all active duty; to home.

Ch. Mach. G. C. Lacock to U.S.S. Montcalm. Pay Clk. R. H. Johnson to treatment Nav. Hos., L. I., Philadelphia, Pa.

Note. The following dispatches were received from CINC, Asiatic Fleet, dated April 16, 1925, and April 17, 1925:

Lt. D. Greenwell to U.S.S. Bittern; Lt. (j.g.) E. P. Sherman to R.S. New York; and Lt. (S.C.) C. M. Easter to Nav. Sta., Cavite.

Lt. Comdr. Perkins relieved Comdr. A. J. James and assumed command U.S.S. Stewart.

Orders to Officers, April 22, 1925

Lt. Comdr. E. J. O'Keefe to continue treatment Nav. Hos., Mare Island, Calif.

Lts. J. M. Connally to engineer officer U.S.S. Bruce; F. A. Hardesty to U.S.S. S-28; L. S. Tichenor to continue treatment Nav. Hos., San Diego, Calif.; A. R. Wurtele to temp. duty Rec. Ship, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ens. H. G. Kent to temp. duty Scouting Fleet, orders 7 Mar., 1925, to U.S.S. Chase revoked.

Comdr. B. L. Wright (M.C.) to 15th Nav. Dist. Lt. Comdr. W. S. Hane (S.C.) to continue duty Bu. of S. & A.

Lts. (j.g.) A. C. Jastrech (Ch.C.) to duty Nav. Yd., Portsmouth, N. H.; E. J. Robbins (Ch.C.) to duty Nav. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill. Patoka.

NAVY J. A. G. GIVES OUT BEAUFORT CASE CHARGES

AFTER careful consideration in the Judge Advocate General's Office of the Navy, the charges in the Beaufort case were given out on April 23. The court will be named within a few days and the trial, it is expected, will begin next week at Norfolk. It will be recalled that the Beaufort, upon her return from the West Indies on the night of February 24, was searched for alleged intoxicating liquor by a Marine guard.

Comdr. Douglas F. Fuller, who commanded the Beaufort, is charged with neglect of duty in three specifications:

1. Neglected and failed to cause proper and sufficient inspection of articles introduced on board.

2. Neglected to take and enforce proper and sufficient measures to prevent presence of intoxicating liquor on board.

3. Neglected to take and enforce proper and sufficient measures to prevent the introduction of prohibited articles into the United States.

Four of the officers, Lt. Clarence W. Baker, S.C., U.S.N.; Machinist Frank M. Hendricks, U.S.N.; Lt. (j.g.) Roland R. Hill, U.S.N.; and Chief Pay Clerk James Galligher, U.S.N., were charged under three specifications. They are:

1. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline, having failed to report that they had dutiable articles on board.

2. Importing liquor.

3. Violation of a lawful regulation issued by the Secretary of Navy.

Lt. Fred H. Rohow, M.C., U.S.N., is charged, in addition to the above specification, with that of transporting liquor from the ship to the dock. It is stated that when the raid was conducted, alleged liquor was found at Lieutenant Rohow's car.

ARMY MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION

THE annual meeting of the Army Mutual Aid Association was held at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., on April 21, 1925. The recently proposed amendments which were suggested so as to simplify administrative methods were adopted by a vote of 2,211 to 149. The reserve fund showed a gain of \$154,000 since March 1, 1924. The membership net gain for the year was 604. The affairs of the association appear to be very satisfactory, and the plan of helping widows and orphans to secure pensions and all other Government claims due them has proven a valuable service to bereaved families. Officers and warrant officers under 50 years of age, if in good health, are eligible for membership.

TO INSTALL NEW A. A. GUNS

ANNOUNCEMENT was made at the Navy Department on April 23 that the new 5-inch antiaircraft guns will be installed on the battleship Maryland during her overhaul period this Summer. The effective range of this gun, it is stated, is 8,000 yards. This type of gun will replace the 3-inch antiaircraft guns on the fleet.

The new type is not only larger but is equipped with an improved fire control and will throw a new type of high-explosive shell. Successful experiments have also been made with highly sensitized shells, which, it is claimed, will explode with even the touch of a wing of an airplane. The mountings make the gun more flexible and make it possible to fire vertically as well as at any angle or any direction.

TO TOUR EUROPE

UPON being relieved as Chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Rear Adm. David Potter will leave for Europe, where he will spend his four months leave. It is stated that the Secretary has indicated to Admiral Potter that he can have his choice of stations for his future service. The Secretary is anxious to make it plain that the change at the head of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts is no reflection upon Admiral Potter. Admiral Potter will not indicate what service he desires until he has taken the matter under advisement while he is on leave.

RETURNING HOME

THE United States Navy dirigible Los Angeles left Bermuda April 22 for her return flight to Lakehurst, N. J.

The Los Angeles left Lakehurst April 21 and arrived over Bermuda April 22 at 2:10 a. m. She cruised leisurely about the island and awaited daylight before making fast to the tender ship Patoka. High seas prevented official visits by local authorities because small craft could not reach the

SPECIAL SERVICE NEWS AND COMMENT

BY E. B. JOHNS

WHEN the Regular, National Guard, and Reserve officers go into camp this year it is expected in many quarters that they will give some thought to the future of the Army of the United States, of which they are a component. It would be naturally supposed when a patriotic body of men like those who go into training camps are willing to give up their vacation and devote it to personal preparedness that they would receive the enthusiastic support from Congress and those in authority. The past four or five years does not justify this conclusion, a number of officers have pointed out. The components of the Army of the United States must not only prepare to defend the country in the event of an emergency but must defend themselves against the insidious efforts of economists and pacifists, they assert.

The three components of the Army of the United States must cooperate in time of peace as well as in war, those interested in its welfare insist. The most dangerous influence to preparedness is that which is exercised toward creating friction or dissension among the three components of the Army of the United States, they maintain. Under the National Defense Act all components must stand shoulder to shoulder, or the Army of the United States will not become effective. One of the components cannot be neglected without injuring the other and weakening the whole system.

SHOW COOPERATION

THE spirit shown by the Regular Army in supporting recommendations for deficiency appropriations in National Guard army drill pay is held up as a splendid illustration of what should take place in the Army of the United States when any measure is proposed for the strengthening of any components. The existing law provides for the minimum training which is required to keep the National Guard up to a state of efficiency for its functioning under the National Defense Act.

If the National Guard is not ready to take the field according to the plans of the National Defense Act, a heavier burden will be laid on the Regular Army than it is prepared to carry, military men claim. They also insist that the Organized Reserves will not be given sufficient time to train for hostilities. The same is true of the Regular Army and National Guard. The whole system will be thrown out of gear, it is said, with the attendant unnecessary loss of life which has occurred in all of our wars.

Only the foundation and part of the superstructure of the Army of the United States has been put in place up to this time, officers declare. The finished product of the National Defense Act does not exist. There are deficiencies in all three components, reports show. The Regular Army is below the minimum strength, both in officers and men, that is required by the National Defense Act. The National Guard has not been brought up to its minimum strength, and the Organized Reserves is only in the primary stage of development. The original program, under the National Defense Act, was for 14,000 officers and 175,000 men. By slightly revising the program and cutting the strength of the Regular Army to an irreducible minimum that would be required for the Army of the United States, General Pershing submitted recommendations for 13,000 officers and 150,000 men. This program has been reduced to 12,000 officers and the Regular Army been ranging between 110,000 and 119,000 men.

The first step to restore the Regular Army to its minimum strength under the National Defense Act has been taken by Col. Robert L. Bacon, a Reserve officer who is a member of Congress from New York. This bill (H.R. 11889) provides for an increase in the Regular Army of 1,000 officers in five increments of 200 officers each.

TEXT OF BILL

The text of the bill is as follows:

"Provided, That the total number of officers on the active list shall not exceed twelve thousand two hundred prior to June 30, 1925; twelve thousand four hundred prior to June 30, 1926; twelve thousand six hundred prior to June 30, 1927; twelve thousand eight hundred prior to June 30, 1928, or thirteen thousand prior to June 30, 1929;

"Provided further, That the President is authorized upon the passage of this act to increase the authorized strength of various grades as prescribed by the act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1923, and for other pur-

poses' approved June 30, 1922, as amended by the act entitled 'An act amending the act of June 30, 1922, making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1923, and for other purposes,' approved September 14, 1922, in proportion that the total strength herein authorized bears to the total strength authorized by said act; and

"Provided further, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit the President from increasing or diminishing, as now authorized by law, the number of officers assigned to any branch of the Army;

"Provided further, That any former officer of the Regular Army who has not been separated from the Service by reason of inefficiency or misconduct, and who shall demonstrate his physical and professional fitness for reappointment, may be reappointed under the provisions of this act and commissioned as an extra number in the grade held by him when separated from the Service, with rank next below that of the number having an equal length of commissioned service."

HAVE DEFINITE PROGRAM

WITH this measure, the members of the training camps this year, it is stated, will have before them a definite program for restoring the Regular Army to its minimum strength under the National Defense Act. The General Staff is making a study of this bill in connection with the needs of the other components of the Army of the United States.

The War Department is already on record in favor of the essential provisions of the bill, and also a corresponding increase for the National Guard and Organized Reserves. It is understood that the General Staff will go more into details of the requirements of the National Defense Act than in any previous efforts along this line.

The efforts of the General Staff will be of little avail unless the other components of the Army of the United States become aggressive in their support of the entire program. If the National Guard should make a demand for the carrying out of the General Staff's program, many officers say, it would not stand before the country as simply making demands for itself but on a higher plane of advocating a general system for the defense of the Nation.

The same is held to be true of the Organized Reserves. If they stand behind the program, these officers declare, they will be included only in the general scheme. The Regular Army itself cannot become active, it can only propose through regular channels what, after a careful consideration, it deems to be the requirements of the National Defense Act. There is no doubt in military circles that its opinion, if supported by the citizen soldiers, will have great weight with Congress.

UNITED ACTION NEEDED

THIS is said to be the situation with which the National Guard officers and Reserve officers will be confronted when they get together in the training camps this summer. If they take an aggressive stand and cooperate closely, it is insisted that their influence will be felt in Congress at the next session. Even the Director of the Budget will not be able to strangle the National Defense Act if they become active as in the past, officers assert.

When these reductions were made in the entire military system it was understood that they were to be only temporary and that when the finances of the country had recovered from the effects of the war the three components of the Army of the United States were to be restored to the strength authorized by the National Defense Act. Evidently the economists have forgotten these promises. Many officers of all these components feel that it is for the junior components of the Army of the United States to remind them of the promises and to demand that they be made good.

CAPTAIN ANGUS' DETAIL

WHILE, as a general policy, the four-year detail system for the General Staff or for the War Department in general is recognized as a sound policy, as it keeps the department in touch with the Army, but occasionally it interferes seriously with the work of the department. A case in point appears in the orders of this week, which relieves Capt. Howard W. Angus from the Military Intelligence Division of the General Staff.

Captain Angus is engaged in some work for which he is peculiarly fitted. Before

he entered the Regular Army he was connected with the Los Angeles Times, and had worked on a number of the large papers on the Pacific coast. He was not only a college graduate but had taken a course in law and been admitted to the bar. Overseas he served under General Harbord, at whose request he was ordered to the War Department and assigned to the Press Relations Section of the General Staff. He has been rendering invaluable service in this capacity and has recently been placed in charge of some very important work, at the request of the Secretary of War.

While he is in the midst of this task orders were issued in the course of the routine of the department, directing him to report to Ft. Benning as a student in the Infantry School. No doubt Captain Angus will be pleased to be relieved from his duties in the War Department, but the authorities will be hard pressed to secure someone to take up his work where he will be compelled to drop it. It will require some time for anyone who relieves him to get in touch with all the ramifications of his project. Those who are acquainted with the work that Captain Angus is expected to do are urging that he be kept on duty at the War Department, at least until it is completed.

NAVY RETIRED LIST

OF extraordinary interest is the address of Rear Adm. William R. Shoemaker, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, which he delivered at the Navy War College on April 21. It has not been given out for publication yet, but it is presumed that the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation outlined his policy on personnel, and may have dealt with the recommendations for personnel legislation which he has under consideration.

Admiral Shoemaker, with other officers on duty in the bureau, has taken up the legislative program which will eventually be submitted to the Secretary of Navy. One of the matters which he has under consideration is the creation of a reserve list of officers who are now on the retired list but who would be physically qualified for service in the event of war.

The proposal, which was mentioned in last week's ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, is being favorably received in influential quarters. Up to this time no objections have been raised to the proposal, although it has not yet taken a definite form.

In discussing the reference that was made to it in these columns, a high-ranking officer of the Navy said:

"Officers on the retired list who can qualify for active duty in the event of an emergency are really reserves, and should be classified as such. In the popularly accepted interpretation of the word, they are reserves and draw retainer pay. Some of them rendered splendid service in the Great War and were an invaluable asset to the Government. This will be always the case, and it is a misrepresentation of their status to carry them under the head of retired officers."

SELECTIVE SYSTEM NEEDED

"SOME sort of selection is necessary to give the flow of promotion that will make the Navy attractive. Unless there is a reasonable chance to advance ambitious young men will not stay in the Navy. I doubt if in time we would be able to get the type of young men that is required for an efficient Navy if we did not have a healthy flow of promotion. But under a system of selection it is necessary to select out some very good material."

"These officers should not be placed on the retired list, but upon a reserve list. There would not be so much of a sting to it, and at the same time Congress would understand that simply because an officer is not on the active list that he is not to be used by the Government in the event of an emergency. I hope the Navy Department sends some recommendation to Congress on the subject. I think that it would pass, as it would not increase the cost of maintaining the Navy."

Admiral Shoemaker will also go over the bills that were pending in Congress when it adjourned. All of these bills must be reintroduced when the next Congress convenes, and it is understood that Admiral Shoemaker is desirous that the policy of the Navy Department should be clearly defined upon them. Under the usual proceedings these recommendations should originate in the Bureau of Navigation. It is planned by the Admiral to have the recommendations of the bureau in the hands of the Secretary some time before

the Congress convenes. Not only will a study be made of the bill for the equalization of promotion between the line and the staff but the Britten bill, which would extend selection down to the grade of lieutenant and make certain other changes in the retirement law.

NAVY AIDS DRY ENFORCEMENT

THE Navy is standing in a fair way in assisting in the enforcement of prohibition, according to report. There have been a number of constitutional arguments as to the authority to use the Navy in connection with the enforcement of the Volstead Act, but the Secretary has put the Navy in the position of assisting the Coast Guard in its attempt to maintain a liquor blockade.

This is through the use of the Los Angeles in making photographs and in locating ships off the eastern coast. The Los Angeles on its recent practice cruise took a series of pictures to determine her value as an observation ship.

The Secretary states that the pictures will be turned over to the Coast Guard where there are indications that the ships photographed were in "Rum Row." The department will submit the data, giving the longitude and latitude of the ships as they are photographed from the Los Angeles, so as to determine whether they are within the limit of the jurisdiction of the United States Government.

The importance to the Navy is the determination of the question as to whether the large airship will be available in locating an enemy. The location of the rum fleet is considered incidental.

FLYING STUNTS AT QUANTICO

IN the presence of Secretary of Navy J. Wilbur, Assistant Secretary Robinson, and Chairman Hale, of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, the Marine Corps Flying Force at Quantico, gave an exhibition on April 15. The Assistant Secretary of Navy and Senator Hale were taken from Washington to Quantico in airplanes, while the Secretary and his father made the trip in the Sopwith.

The fliers did some splendid work in dropping bombs at floating targets, which were exactly the size of battleships. They also laid some smoke curtains and did some stunt flying, which impressed the official visitors.

TO CELEBRATE CANTIGNY DAY

ARRANGEMENTS are being made by the District of Columbia branch of the Society of the First Division, A.E.F., to celebrate Cantigny Day on May 28. An elaborate program, with a dinner, is being prepared, the details of which will be announced later. All past and present members of the First Division Society are invited, and asked to communicate with the chairman of the Committee on Arrangements.

The committee consists of Capt. C. C. Lowe, General Staff, Room 360½, State, War and Navy Building; Capt. C. S. Coulter, U.S.A.; C. S. Ryan; John Keating; and M. B. Driscoll.

1ST INFANTRY DIVISION

NEW YORK HARBOR will be practically stripped of troops this summer with the annual mobilization of the 1st Infantry Brigade of the First Division at Camp Dix, N. J. Mobilization orders issued by Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall at Governors Island call out the garrisons of every fortification on the Harbor except those at Ft. Hancock and Ft. Totten for field service.

Movement of troops began April 20, when two battalions of the 18th Infantry, under Col. Stanley Ford, left Governors Island, Bedloe's Island and Ft. Wadsworth for the encampment. They left by Government boat to Sandy Hook, and from here to Camp Dix by marching.

In addition, the 18th Infantry, from Fts. Hocum, Schuyler, and Hamilton; the Brigade Headquarters Company, from Ft. Wadsworth; the 1st Signal Company, from Camp Vail; the 1st Ordnance Company, from Ft. Jay, and the 1st Tank Company, from Miller Field, are ordered to follow at regular intervals.

According to training instructions issued by General Summerall, the mobilization will continue until July 23. Besides the usual maneuvers and annual target practice, the Regular troops will be used to train Reserve officers of the 308th, 309th, and 311th New York Infantry Regiments, who will assemble at Camp Dix this summer for training.

27TH INFANTRY DIVISION

APPROVAL has been given by the War Department for the following coat of arms for the 27th Division Train, Q.M.C., New York National Guard:

Shield—Azure, a saltire buff fimbriated argent, in chief a Maltese cross and in base a fleur-de-lys of the like.

Crest—That for the regiments of the New York National Guard. On a wreath argent and azure the full-rigged ship "Half Moon" proper.

Motto—Ducit Amor Patriae (led by love of country).

The 27th Division Train, Q.M.C., New York National Guard, was organized in 1862 as the 47th Regiment of Infantry, N.Y.N.G. (three companies had been organized in 1861, but were not mustered in as State troops until 1862). The regiment served in Federal service for three months in 1862 and one month in 1863. It served in the theater of operations, but was not engaged in any battle or campaign.

In 1898 the regiment was organized as a 12-company regiment and mustered into the Federal service for the Spanish-American War as the 47th Regiment, New York Volunteers. It was mustered out of the United States service March 31, 1899. It served overseas in Porto Rico, but it did not arrive in the island until after the conclusion of hostilities.

The regiment was in Federal service again from June to August, 1916, at Peekskill, N. Y. It was mustered into Federal service again on March 31, 1917, and later became the 53d Pioneer Infantry. As the 53d Pioneer Infantry it served in the A.E.F. in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne operations.

The 47th Regiment of Infantry, New York National Guard (53d Pioneer Inf.), is now reconstituted in the 27th Division Train, Q.M.C., N.Y.N.G.

The shield is blue, indicating that the original organization was as an Infantry regiment. The saltire cross commemorates the service of the old regiment in the Civil War. Buff is the color of the Quartermaster Corps for the present service of the train. The Maltese cross recalls the service in Porto Rico in the Spanish War and the fleur-de-lys the service in France in the World War.

The distinctive insignia for this train is as follows: *Badge*—A cross patee of white enamel, with a gold laurel wreath showing between the arms, charged with a buff disc within a blue ring; on the ring the organization's motto, "Ducit Amor Patriae," in gold, and on the disc a gold fleur-de-lys.

This design was made from the old regimental badge of the 47th Infantry, adopted and worn since the organization of the regiment in 1862, the 27th Division Train being the redesignation of this regiment in the reorganization of the National Guard in 1921. The regimental number 47 on red center is replaced by the buff of the Quartermaster Corps, of which this organization is now a part. The fleur-de-lys represents the service of the regiment in the World War.

The badge will be manufactured in gold and enamel in one size, as the organization may select, but not in excess of 1 1/4 inches in height.

30TH INFANTRY DIVISION

THAT the reputation of the 30th Infantry, "San Francisco's Own Regiment," has spread so far as to reach all

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four corners of the country appears from the application for the detail of 1st Lt. Thomas R. Aaron, of that regiment, to the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College and Polytechnic Institute, at Blacksburg.

Recently the University of Montana asked for and obtained an officer of the 20th Infantry for duty as instructor, and now the call comes from a seat of learning of the far-away Old Dominion State.

War Department orders approving the detail of Lieutenant Aaron have already been issued and he will sail for New York City on the transport leaving San Francisco on or about July 7. From New York Lieutenant Aaron goes to Baltimore, where he will report to the Commanding General of the 3d Corps Area for temporary duty for one month, preparatory to proceeding to Blacksburg to assume his duties at the institute.

44TH INFANTRY DIVISION

SEVERAL changes in the commissioned personnel of the 112th Field Artillery, as follows: Lt. Chas. L. Van Fossen has been appointed to the staff of Maj. C. V. Dickinson, commanding the 2d Battalion, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Jos. D. Farrington, of Atlantic City. Lt. J. Warren Dowling, of "E" Battery, was elected its commanding officer at an election held on the evening of March 17, and 2d Lt. William McK. Hernandez, of the Service Battery of the 112th, was elected first lieutenant of Battery E to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Lieutenant Dowling.

Captain Dowling has served in the New Jersey National Guard for the past 12 years, enlisting as a private in Co. C, 4th N. J. Inf., of Jersey City, March 5, 1913. Removing to Camden two years later he was transferred to Battery B of the 1st N.J.F.A., where he successively advanced through the various non-commissioned grades until he was elected as a second lieutenant on the formation of the Combat Train in 1921. He served as a sergeant in Battery B, 112th Heavy Field Artillery, in France during the World War. Lieutenant Hernandez assisted in the formation of the Service Battery of the 112th F.A., prior to the field encampment at Pine Plains, N. Y., last summer, and has been one of the most active junior officers of the regiment. He enlisted as a private in the 111th F.A., Virginia N.G., in 1916 and served during the World War at several cantonments in the United States, having been graduated as a second lieutenant F.A., at the third Officers' Training Camp at Camp McClellan, Ala. He will be assigned as reconnaissance officer of the battery.

Second Lt. Belford W. Neuffer is also another new officer of "E" Battery, having been elected on March 10 to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lt. Richard Moses. Lieutenant Neuffer served as a private in the 1st and 9th F.A., U.S.A., and at the outbreak of the World War he attended the Artillery Officers' Training School at Camp Taylor, Ky., graduating as a second lieutenant F.A. He was later assigned to the 71st F.A. at Camp Knox, Ky. Following the signing of the armistice he was discharged from the service in 1919.

76TH INFANTRY DIVISION

COL. JOHN B. SCHOFFEL, Inf. D.O.L., has arrived in Bridgeport, Conn., and has opened his office in the state armory. Colonel Schoeffel is assigned as executive officer of the 418th Infantry, with general supervision of that part of the 76th Division Area which embraces the cities of Bridgeport, Stamford, Norwalk, Danbury, Waterbury, Ansonia and Stratford.

Maj. Rex B. De Lacour, 418th Inf., is in command of the regiment, and was recently honored by an appointment as a colonel on Gov. John H. Trumbull's staff.

Reserve officers of the 418th Area learning of the assignment of Colonel Schoeffel, and of the appointment of Major De Lacour, decided on a dinner in their joint honor at Stratford, March 25, as an appropriate means of honoring them. Capt. James E. Murphy, Capt. J. A. H. Robinson and Lt. Ira R. Peterson composed the committee on arrangements. A large number of officers attended.

Orders have been issued by 1st Corps Area Headquarters sending Col. Emerson G. Taylor, 304th Inf., to Ft. Williams, Me., on April 26 for 15 days training with the 5th Infantry. The regiment regrets very much that Colonel Taylor will not be present at their unit camp at Devens in July. Other officers who will be unable to attend their unit camps and have accepted the 15 days training with the 5th Infantry

at Ft. Williams, Me., are: Capt. Clarence E. Bissell, 304th Inf., Manchester, Conn.; 2d Lt. Charles N. Van Buren, 417th Inf., New Haven, Conn. First Lt. William S. Kelly, Jr., 356th F.A., Sound Beach, Conn., will go to Ft. Ethan Allen, Va., on May 3, 1925.

78TH INFANTRY DIVISION

RESERVE officers of Infantry who have recently been assigned to the 78th Division are the following:

Col. William Hayward, Lt. Col. F. E. Adams, Lt. Col. David Banks, and Capt. H. J. Perlberg, Med.

91ST INFANTRY DIVISION

OFFICERS of the 91st Division have been called upon so frequently to participate in military affairs in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Sacramento and other communities that the division has been called "California's Own."

Col. E. V. Smith, Chief of Staff of the 91st Division, is in charge of C.M.T.C. enrollment for the State of California and reports progress 18 per cent of 1924 results for an equal period of time. Country representatives of the Military Training Camps Association have organized an extensive campaign in all counties of the state and are working in cooperation with professors of military science and tactics in California schools and the Reserve officers in the 91st Division.

"The Summer Camper," a contact publication for those enrolled for the 1925 C.M.T. Camp, is being distributed every 10 days as a periodical reminder of the approach of the opening date of the camp at Del Monte.

A new branch of division headquarters has been opened at Fresno, Calif., with Maj. Henry C. Davis, Jr., in charge, as executive officer of the 363d Infantry.

100TH INFANTRY DIVISION

THE Reserve officers who recently spent two weeks at Ft. Thomas feel that they have received great benefit from the military training given them. They were members of the 100th Infantry Division, which includes officers of West Virginia and Kentucky.

The officers and men in the 10th Infantry showed the visiting officers every courtesy and made their stay both pleasant and profitable.

Those on duty from the 100th Division were:

Col. Erskine B. Bassett, Inf.-Res., Hopkinsville, Ky.; Lt. Col. Walter C. Smith, Inf.-Res., Wheeling, W. Va.; Maj. Sidney J. Anderson, Med-Res., Midway, Ky.; Maj. Virgil H. Danford, Med-Res., Kempton, W. Va.; Maj. Robert B. Lorch, Inf.-Res., Carrollton, Ky.; Maj. John Thamas, Med-Res., Kingwood, W. Va.; Maj. John A. Yancey, Inf.-Res., Covington, Ky.

Capt. Clifford N. Braswell, Inf.-Res., Marion, Ky.; Capt. David T. Brown, Engr.-Res., Charleston, W. Va.; Capt. Raymond Colton, Engr.-Res., Charleston, W. Va.; Capt. John Enoch, Inf.-Res., Milton, W. Va.; Capt. Harry L. Franklin, Inf.-Res., Sonora, Ky.; Capt. Clarence M. Jones, Inf.-Res., Hinton, W. Va.; Capt. John F. Logan, Inf.-Res., Louisville, Ky.; Capt. Henry C. Moore, Inf.-Res., Charleston, W. Va.; Capt. Ben. S. Winfree, Inf.-Res., Hopkinsville, Ky.

First Lt. Carl B. Acton, Inf.-Res., Danville, Ky.; 1st Lt. Claude C. Burns, Inf.-Res., Mt. Olivet, Ky.; 1st Lt. Corbett L. Gullet, Inf.-Res., Lexington, Ky.; 1st Lt. William B. Hayes, Inf.-Res., Richwood, W. Va.; 1st Lt. Hiram Hogg, Jr., Inf.-Res., Clavies, Ky.; 1st Lt. William H. Jones, Inf.-Res., Glasgow, Ky.; 1st Lt. Lawrence G. Lindquist, Inf.-Res., Charleston, W. Va.; 1st Lt. Harry P. Newton, QM-Res., Charleston, W. Va.; 1st Lt. LeLand Payton, Inf.-Res., Horse Cave, Ky.; 1st Lt. McDaniel Purcell, Inf.-Res., Huntington, W. Va.; 1st Lt. Clint H. Skagg, Inf.-Res., Dexter, Ky.

Second Lt. Ceron Adkins, Med-Res., Wayne, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Frank S. Barker, Inf.-Res., Covington, Ky.; 2d Lt. Kenneth W. Butte, Inf.-Res., Somerset, Ky.; 2d Lt. Hollie D. Custer, Inf.-Res., Grafton, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Tony Demarie, Inf.-Res., Adamston, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Raymond E. Gilson, Inf.-Res., Louisville, Ky.; 2d Lt. Willis A. Headley, Inf.-Res., Louisville, Ky.; 2d Lt. Max L. Heath, Inf.-Res., Mayfield, Ky.; 2d Lt. Watt P. Howard, Inf.-Res., Jackson, Ky.; 2d Lt. Embleton R. Howery, Inf.-Res., Montgomery, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Frank H. Johnson, Inf.-Res., Louisville, Ky.; 2d Lt. Joe L. Jurgens, Inf.-Res., Wheeling, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Ralph G. Kelly, Inf.-Res., Hazelton, W. Va.; 2d Lt. Shelby A. Miller, Inf.-Res., Jackson, Ky.; 2d Lt. Raymond L. Orndorff, Inf.-Res., Fabius, W. Va.; 2d Lt. John G. Sanford, Inf.-Res., Wheeling, W. Va.

2D CAVALRY DIVISION

THE 13th United States Cavalry is compiling a regimental history. Any items of interest and any photographs possessed by officers and enlisted men who served with the regiment are urgently requested. It is the purpose of the sponsors to turn out a history which will be one of the best in its line. For this reason the cooperation of all interested is sought.

Information or photographs should be mailed to the Adjutant, 13th Cavalry, Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo.

24TH CAVALRY DIVISION

BIG. GEN. MAURICE THOMPSON has added to his office staff Lt. Harvey M. Dingley, of the Service Company, 116th Med. Regt., Seattle. Lieutenant Dingley has been assigned as assistant to the personnel officer, Maj. A. J. Hightower. To qualify for armory drill pay and to augment his knowledge of horsemanship, Lieutenant Dingley is now drilling with the Headquarters Troop, 24th Cavalry Division, Tacoma, Wash.

THE Headquarters Troop, 24th Cavalry Division, Tacoma, opened their rifle season on April 5 with a detachment of over 30 men on the Camp Lewis range. These men, under the instruction of Capt. J. I. Middsworth, Troop Commander, fired Match No. 1 of the rifle competition prescribed for the troops of this state in Circular Letter No. 14, 1925, Adjutant General's Office.

61ST CAVALRY DIVISION

THE following Reserve officers have been assigned to the 61st Cavalry Division: First Lts. C. M. Carpenter, Vet.; R. S. Palmer, Med.; S. H. Raymond, Med.; and J. P. Takach, Med.

62D CAVALRY DIVISION

THE Regimental Day of the 305th Cavalry was celebrated with great success in Philadelphia on April 17. Fifty-eight officers of the 65 now assigned or attached to the regiment reported in uniform to the regimental commander, Col. John C. Groome, and took part in the celebration.

The program was arranged by Lt. Col. Howard R. Smalley, Cav., U.S.A., the executive officer of the regiment, and consisted of an exhibition ride of the officers' equitation class; exhibition jumping; a polo game and a dinner in the evening at the Racquet Club.

The Philadelphia Public Ledger had the following to say about the riding: "Army affairs either start on time or so late that they never catch up. The 305th believes in being prompt. At 5 o'clock a squad of officers started the program—right on the scheduled second. The officers rode into the ring of the squadron armory at 32nd St. and Lancaster avenue and proceeded to show other officers, and not a few young women, some really good riding. It was called an equitation class. But it was more than that. It was constant shifting of cleverness all done in a brown background. Then there was jumping. Now, jumping a horse isn't easy, and it isn't always possible to maintain dignity. But the officers of the 305th are able young citizens, and they showed some very pretty riding."

At the Racquet Club dinner in the evening General Robert C. Davis, the Adjutant General of the Army, addressed the officers and presented to the regiment its Standards. Colonel Hamilton Hawkins, commanding the 3rd U. S. Cavalry gave an instructive talk on the mission of the Cavalry. Colonel Groome reviewed the history of the regiment and its accomplishments during the past three years and accepted the standards for the regiment.

The regiment was highly complimented by the visiting officers on the remarkable esprit de corps which it has developed. The day was made the occasion for the first wearing of the regimental coat of arms and for singing a new regimental song.

63D CAVALRY DIVISION

A RECEPTION and dance was given by the Regular officers of the post on April 8 in honor of the 18 Reserve officers who are now on active duty at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. A return dance was given by the Reserve officers on April 15.

The training of the Reserve officers of this division at Ft. Oglethorpe progressed most satisfactorily and all student officers made every effort to obtain the maximum benefit from the course.

THE Chattanooga Chapter of the Reserve Officers' Association at present has a paid-up membership of 96. This is very encouraging to those interested in Reserve matters in the city for it shows that interest in the national defense is steadily gaining headway. The maximum membership in the Chattanooga Chapter in the past has not exceeded 50.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

THAT the effectiveness of antiaircraft artillery may be determined, extensive and conclusive tests, it is understood, will shortly be undertaken by the War Department. Limited available funds for the purchase of ammunition which will be used in conducting these approaching tests, it is stated, will not make it possible for all of the antiaircraft regiments to participate in these antiaircraft firings.

As a result of the limitation imposed upon these firing exercises, due to the lack of sufficient appropriations, the honor of conducting these firing tests has gone to the 62d Coast Artillery Regiment, which organization has been tentatively designated to operate the antiaircraft guns. The other five regiments will engage in intensive training exercises, but they will not be permitted to exceed the normal target practice allowance.

The tentative test schedule which has so far been arranged for the 62d Regiment provides for the following firings: Two four-gun batteries of 3-inch antiaircraft guns, model 1918, trailer mounts; 18 .50-caliber aircraft machine guns; and 18 .30-caliber aircraft machine guns. It is estimated that this regiment in the conduct of these tests will fire 10,000 3-inch shells, 200,000 .30-caliber machine-gun ammunition, and 100,000 .50-caliber machine-gun ammunition.

Equipping the 62d Regiment with sound detectors for the directing of searchlights is also contemplated, and excellent results are expected with the 60-inch searchlights through the use of this sound-detecting attachment. With the exception of a couple of improvised crude devices, none of the antiaircraft organizations are equipped with sound-detecting equipment at the present time.

The tests are being primarily conducted by the War Department, it is believed, to conclusively decide the controversy, raised by the Air Service, as to the effectiveness of antiaircraft fire. In all probability, the results of these approaching tests will be placed before the Congress when this body assembles next December.

INSPECTOR GENERAL

MAJ. GEN. ELI HELMICK, Inspector General of the Army, now engaged in inspecting the Regular Army activities, will before returning to Washington inspect not only the regular organizations throughout the United States but, in accordance with his prepared itinerary, he will also inspect every regiment and organization in the Regular Establishment in Panama, Hawaii, China and the Philippine Islands.

Last week General Helmick inspected the 10th Infantry, at Ft. Hayes, Ohio, and Ft. Thomas, Ky.; and the 3d Field Artillery and the 11th Infantry, at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind. On April 11 General Helmick, accompanied by Col. Dana T. Merrill, commanding officer of the 10th Infantry, and Col. William H. Waldron, chief of staff of the 100th Division, Organized Reserves, inspected this organization.

Company A of this regiment acquitted itself with distinction by being named the honor company, and also was awarded the trophy for all-around excellency in the dismounted organizations. H Company won the trophy for excellency in the mounted organizations. The two winning companies were brought before the General, who, after attaching the much-coveted streamers to their respective guidons, in a few well-chosen words congratulated the company commanders and the men on their achievements. The review of the regiment then followed.

On the following Monday, April 13, General Helmick inspected and reviewed the troops at Ft. Harrison, the review being held on Schoen Field with Lt. Col. Morris E. Locke, 3d F.A., as commanding officer of troops. Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman reviewed the troops of his command with General Helmick.

Lt. Col. E. J. Nowlen was in command of the 11th Infantry and Capt. A. C. Fitzhugh of the 3d Field Artillery. Lt. C. H. Calais was in command of the tanks.

General Helmick spent the remainder of the day inspecting the troops in quarters and the organization areas.

General Helmick was in command of Base Section 5, stationed at Brest, France, during the World War. He is a graduate of West Point and served in the Santiago, Cuba, and the Philippine campaigns as a lieutenant. He was promoted to Inspector General in 1921.

COL. LINCOLN F. KILBOURNE has been relieved from assignment to the 23d Infantry (2d Division), Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., and is detailed in the Inspector General's Department, effective September 14, 1925, vice Col. Truman O. Murphy, inspector general (Infantry), whose detail expires June 1, 1925.

SERVICE SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES

CORPS OF CADETS

U.S.M.A., WEST POINT, N. Y.

THE following information was issued by Maj. Gen. Fred W. Sladen, superintendent, on April 15:

"This bulletin is to reaffirm our invitation to you to visit West Point during June Week of this year. We wish to have a record reunion both in numbers and in spirit.

Information covering the principal points which will interest graduates and former cadets returning to West Point is given below.

"Accommodations; a. Barracks.—All classes to include 1875 will be quartered in Memorial Hall. Later classes will be quartered in Cadet Barracks, where every effort will be made to quarter classmates together. As the apportionment of barracks to classes will be made about June 1, and thereafter cannot be changed, our success in solving the housing problem will depend entirely on how many graduates and former cadets notify the committee in advance that they plan to visit West Point.

"b. Hotels.—A list of near-by hotels and boarding houses at which graduates and former cadets may obtain accommodations for their families will be mailed on request. The West Point Hotel can accommodate only the families of graduating cadets.

"c. Friends at West Point.—Do not depend on a friend here to give you quarters unless you have corresponded with him. Many officers live off the post and cannot care for their friends as they would like to. Make sure of your accommodations by calling upon the Alumni Reception Committee for information. (See also 'Charges' and 'Meals').

"Alumni Day.—June 11, the day before graduation, is set aside for ceremonies in which the graduates and former cadets take part with the Corps. The review of the Corps by the alumni and the meeting of the Association of Graduates takes place on this day.

"Alumni Headquarters; Room 111, West Academic Building.—All alumni visiting West Point during Graduation Week are requested to visit Alumni Headquarters, whether or not they are seeking accommodations. We may have some information of interest to you; and in addition we wish to obtain a complete record of all visiting alumni.

"Alumni Reception Committee.—This is a permanent committee functioning at West Point throughout the year and charged with arranging for the reception of visiting alumni. Correspondence should be addressed to Alumni Reception Committee, West Point, N. Y.

"Automobiles.—No garage space is available on the post. An effort will be made to provide parking space for those who bring cars, but on account of the very limited space and the congestion of traffic through West Point in Summer, it is hoped that where possible alumni will arrange to leave their cars elsewhere.

"Baggage.—Alumni who leave their baggage checks at Alumni Headquarters, or with the noncommissioned officer on duty at the railroad station, will have their baggage delivered to their rooms.

"Charges.—Quarters, 50 cents per night. Meals, 60 cents per meal at the Cadet Mess. At the Officers' Mess, breakfast and lunch, 75 cents each; dinner, \$1.

"Class Dinners.—Reunion dinners may be held at the West Point Army Mess. Class representatives who wish to arrange for a dinner should communicate with the secretary of the West Point Army Mess as early as possible. The limited capacity of the mess makes it difficult to meet all requests for reservations. Where plans for

such dinners permit, allowing the secretary of the mess the choice of two or more dates will help to eliminate overcrowding of facilities.

"Class Representatives.—Class representatives are requested to pass on to the Alumni Reception Committee, either with or without remarks, all information they receive concerning members of their class who intend to visit West Point during June Week. It is also requested that any class which plans to hold a reunion at West Point this year will inform the Reception Committee unless such information has already been given.

"Mailing List.—A mailing list of graduates and former cadets is on file at these headquarters and every effort is made to keep it accurate. We will appreciate receiving the names and addresses of any graduates or former cadets who you think are not receiving these bulletins.

"Meals.—Members of classes quartered in Memorial Hall may obtain their meals at either the Officers' Mess or the Cadet Mess. Members of classes quartered in Cadet Barracks will obtain their meals at the Cadet Mess. (See 'Quarters' and 'Charges'.)

"Non-Graduates.—Every effort is made to induce those former cadets who did not graduate, but who received honorable discharges, to return to West Point during June Week. There has been remarkable success in this attempt. Some of the most enthusiastic of the returning West Pointers are men who did not graduate.

"Notification Card.—With this bulletin is mailed a card which we request you to return as soon as you decide to attend. Our plans for your accommodation and entertainment are based on these replies.

"Officers' Club.—Open to graduates and former cadets except for meals. (See 'Meals'.)

"Program.—June 11: Alumni Day, Graduation Parade, Graduation Hop; June 12: Graduation Exercises. A complete program will be published in the bulletin issued May 15.

"Reunions.—The following classes have already announced that they are holding reunions this year: 1870, 1875, 1885, 1890, 1895, 1900, 1915. The committee will be glad to hear from other classes."

ENGINEER SCHOOL

FT. HUMPHREYS, VA.

THE fifty-eighth annual dinner of the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, was held on Saturday, April 11, at Ft. Humphreys, Va.

It is the custom for the officers of the Corps of Engineers to gather once each year at the Engineer School for an annual reunion and banquet. Ft. Humphreys, once the beautiful estate of Lord William Fairfax, is now the home of the Engineer School. This year's dinner was attended by more officers than ever before. To the officers of the Regular Army were added those of the Engineer Reserve Corps and several of the National Guard.

Col. Sherwood A. Cheney, now senior aide to the President and until recently Commandant of the Engineer School, acted as toastmaster. General Taylor, Chief of Engineers; General Bixby, Ret.; and General Jardwin, the Assistant Chief of Engineers, each responded to a toast.

Among those present were: Cols. William Kelly, J. Franklin Bell; Prof. William A. Mitchell; Majs. William H. Holloman, Joseph C. Mehaffey, Carey H. Brown, Douglas L. Weart, and William D. A. Anderson.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

COL. SHERWOOD A. CHENEY, C.E., who has just recently been appointed an additional military aide to the President, and who prior to his new assignment was in command of the Army Engineer Post at Ft. Humphreys, Va., has been relieved of his Ft. Humphreys duties by Maj. W. D. A. Anderson, C.E. In addition to his duties as commanding officer of the post, Major Anderson is also assistant commandant of the Engineer School at this post.

Major Anderson comes from a military family, his father being Maj. Gen. William Anderson, who served with distinction in the Confederate Army. The Major was born in Lexington, Va., January 6, 1881; he is a graduate of Washington and Lee University and also of the United States Military Academy, class of 1904. He attained the rank of colonel during the war.

The passage of the Public Buildings and Parks Act and the increase of duties im-

posed upon Col. C. O. Sherrill, Director of Public Buildings and Parks, in connection with the National Capital Park Commission and the new Arlington bridge, was responsible for the appointment of a new military aide being added to the White House military staff. As a result of the many duties being performed by Colonel Sherrill, the President appointed Colonel Cheney another military aide to relieve him of that portion of his duties.

FOR the purpose of making a preliminary examination and survey for a deeper waterway between the Great Lakes and the Hudson River, which would make it navigable for vessels having a draft of from 20 to 25 feet, authorization for which was provided by the River and Harbor Act approved March 3, 1925, a board of Engineers officers have been appointed consisting of the following: Col. Herbert Deakyne, Col. Spencer Cosby, and Maj. Paul S. Reinecke.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

CONTINUATION of research work on the caliber .50 machine gun barrels and ammunition has resulted in the development of an improved case, chamber, and rifling, which has greatly increased the accuracy of this weapon.

A DEMONSTRATION of the 37-mm. Browning 1,350 f. s. automatic gun was given at Aberdeen Proving Ground recently, for the officers of the General Staff and of several branches. This gun was fired a total of 50 rounds, 25 of which were fired at an elevation of 45 degrees. Perfect functioning resulted, and during this test it was demonstrated that continuous fire could be maintained by the strip feed used in operation of the gun.

LARGE wheels for 155-mm. gun carriage, model 1918, were approved recently by the Ordnance Committee for test of the 155-mm. gun carriage, model 1918, with a pair of large wheels on the carriage and limber. Eight-inch howitzer carriage wheels (66 inches by 12 inches) are being modified to fit the G.P.F. axles. The program calls for limited travel over various kinds of terrain where standard G.P.F. materiel has been previously hauled to compare the mobility, particularly in places where G.P.F. materiel has stalled tractors previously, and to determine the differences in drawbar pull required to haul the materiel with standard and the large-diameter wheels.

A CARRIAGE is being designed to mount the following 37-mm. full automatic guns now under development so that they can be tested as anti-aircraft weapons:

Two thousand f. s. Browning gun; 3,000 f. s. Jersey gun; and 3,000 f. s. Browning gun.

The mount will provide 85 degrees elevation and 360 degrees traverse, and have smooth-operating elevating and traversing mechanisms, together with a suitable open sight which will permit vertical and horizontal deflections to be set off. In the meantime, the Ordnance Department is developing tracer ammunition. It is hoped to have an early test of the 2,000 f. s. automatic Browning gun, which has already been delivered to the Ordnance Department, using this mount and tracer ammunition.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

ANNOUNCEMENT was made by the War Department this week that as a result of a study recently made by The Adjutant General of the Army, a change will shortly be made in Army Regulations governing the parole of military prisoners confined in disciplinary barracks.

Since 1915, when the parole regulations for disciplinary barracks were placed in effect, they have worked satisfactorily except in the cases of prisoners who have been transferred from United States penitentiaries to disciplinary barracks.

Prisoners now confined in United States penitentiaries under sentences of more than one year imposed by civil courts are eligible for release on home parole after serving one-third of the period of confinement, whereas prisoners in disciplinary barracks have not been eligible for parole until they had served one-half of the full period of confinement.

Therefore, in the case of prisoners transferred from United States penitentiaries to military disciplinary barracks, such prisoners have suffered on account of the difference in parole regulations as the length of time necessary to serve before being eligible to parole was increased by the transfer.

It is provided in the new regulations that a prisoner in a military disciplinary barracks may become eligible for parole after serving one-third of his sentence, provided that the prisoner will not become eligible for parole until he has served at least nine months of his sentence, allowing for good-conduct time not being considered.

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT C. DAVIS, The Adjutant General of the Army, was in Philadelphia on April 17, being the guest of honor on the occasion of Regimental Day of the 305th Cavalry, Organized Reserves, Colonel Groome commanding.

ORDERS have been issued by the War Department detaching Lt. Col. Henry Gibbs, Q.M.C., as executive officer of the Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., and assigning Lt. Col. John J. Fulmer, Inf., now a student at the War College, as Colonel Gibbs' relief, effective July 1. The new assignment of Colonel Gibbs has not yet been decided upon.

THE NATIONAL GUARD

THE question has arisen as to the advisability of permitting States to expend State funds on camp sites at military reservations under control of the Regular Army, which are used by both the Regular establishment and the National Guard.

The Secretary of War does not favorably consider the granting of exclusive rights to individual States on military reservations which are used by the Regular Army and also by units of other States. It is considered that the needs of the Regular Army are paramount and that the terrain to be used for camps and as training areas should be as determined by the local Regular Army Commander.

With regard to the expenditure of State funds at these camps, it is readily understood that States will not desire to spend their own funds on camp sites located on Federal reservations unless they can be assured that they will be allowed the full benefit of such expenditures. In the future, however, such expenditures will not be permitted on Federal reservations which are used by the regular establishment and units of the National Guard.

It is thought doubtful whether the organizations of Artillery of the New York National Guard assigned to field duty at Camp Upton, near Wading River, Long Island, N. Y., next July will be permitted to use the ground.

The property owners of the section have protested against the use of the ground by the troops, and particularly against the firing of the 155-mm. G.P.F. guns and the antiaircraft guns. They claim that the noise of the guns disturbs their peace and quietude.

They are reported to have refused to sign a lease to the ground to the War Department. Camp Upton is a very desirable site for troops near New York City, as it saves a great cost in mileage.

It may be necessary to send the troops to some far-away Army post where there are facilities for gun firing, but this will involve a very heavy expense, officers pointed out.

THE following officers of the New York National Guard have recently been commissioned and assigned as noted:

Majs. B. W. Kearney, to 105th Infantry, as machine-gun officer; G. E. Ramsey, to 2d Battalion, 105th Infantry.

Capt. W. D. Crim to Troop B, 51st Machine Gun Squadron; H. R. Moore to Co. E, 106th Infantry; T. E. Fitzsimmons to 44th Division, as assistant judge advocate; W. J. Jones to 44th Division, as assistant adjutant.

First Lts. W. D. McKinney to Service Battery, 104th Field Artillery; J. F. Stokes to Co. G, 369th Infantry; L. H. Ericks to Co. B, 106th Infantry; H. A. Steiger to Co. D, 71st Infantry; C. W. Butt to Co. D, 106th Infantry.

Second Lts. E. H. Roth to Battery A, 106th Field Artillery; G. McCutcheon to Co. M, 71st Infantry; P. F. Hanreeder to Co. B, 10th Infantry; A. J. Stephenson to Co. D, 106th Infantry; J. B. Sheehy to Motor Transport Co. 105, 27th Division Trains; O. A. Read to Co. H, 10th Infantry; T. R. Scheley to Co. D, 71st Infantry; R. A. Renick to Co. F, 102d Engineers; J. H. Bosworth to Battery B, 106th Field Artillery; and M. L. Platt to Quartermaster Corps.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

BETWEEN now and June 30, approximately 25 Reserve Officers of the Finance Department will undergo a two weeks' course of instruction at the camps and stations nearest their homes. Limited appropriations prevented more Finance reservists from taking this instruction, and it is hoped that Congress will be more liberal in authorizing appropriations for training purposes in 1926, so that a greater number of officers can undergo this instruction.

Each student officer upon reaching his training camp destination will occupy the various desks in the finance station or office, whichever it may be, and, under the supervision of a regular Finance officer, he will discharge the various duties which would be required of him to perform in the event of war.

Finance Reserve Officers who contemplate their attendance at a course of instruction during the 1926 Summer instruction are urged to avail themselves of the opportunity of enrolling in the Finance correspondence course, as it has been pointed out by regular officers that those Reserve officers who have completed these correspondence courses are far better equipped to take the advanced practical training given during the two weeks of active duty than those who have not taken the theoretical instruction.

MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS

A SPLENDID military exhibition, conducted on the most elaborate scale by the Citizens' Military Training Camps, 2d Corps Area, was given in the armory of the 245th Artillery (13th N. Y.) at the armory in Brooklyn, N. Y., April 17, through the courtesy of Col. Sydney Grant, commanding.

It was one of the most elaborate exhibitions ever given in an armory, and included troops from the Regular Army and National Guard, bluejackets and marines from the Navy, Naval Militia, Reserve officers, C.M.T.C. Cadet companies, police, etc.

The program of 20 events was run off like clockwork, under the direction of Lt. Col. Howard L. Campion, Res., assigned to the 18th United States Infantry.

The reviewing officer was Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, U.S.A., who gave every possible help to the exhibition, assisted by the following staff: Maj. Henry W. Fleet, Inf., U.S.A., C.M.T.C. officer, 2d Corps Area; Capt. Arthur L. Warren, F.A., U.S.A., assistant C.M.T.C. officer, 2d Corps Area; Lt. Col. Howard Campion, Inf.-Res., assigned to 18th Inf., U.S.A., director of exhibition, drills and games; and Capt. E. J. Reihl, 245th Artillery (13th C.D.C.), N.G., N. Y., Adj.

Other officers were the officers named below:

Rear Adm. Charles Plunkett, U.S.N., commandant Brooklyn Navy Yard; Col. Stanley H. Ford, 16th Inf.; Col. Sydney Grant, 245 Artillery (13th C.D.C.); Col. Richard E. Enright, M.P., Res., police commissioner, city of New York; Capt. Edward T. Fitzgerald, 2d Naval Militia, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Col. Marsellus G. Spinks, 62d Artillery, A.A., U.S.A., commanding officer, Ft. Totten, Long Island, N. Y.; Col. Edward Croft, Inf., D.O.L., U.S.A., commanding officer, Ft. Hamilton, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Col. Wade H. Hayes, 107th Inf. (7th Reg., N.G., N. Y.); Mr. M. S. Sloan, president Brooklyn-Edison Co.

The committee included:

Reception—Maj. Curtis F. Claassen, Med-Res; Maj. A. C. T. Beers, Inf-Res; Maj. H. Robbins Burroughs, Engr-Res; Maj. Thurston H. Dexter, Med-Res; Capt. Nathan H. Lord, Inf-Res; Maj. Floyd Lyle, Inf-Res; Maj. Charles G. Stevenson, Inf-Res; Maj. Claude Dore, JA-Res; Capt. Chester W. McNally, CA-Res.

Entertainment—Lt. Col. Harry M. Friddle, Fin-Res; Capt. C. E. Lent, Fin-Res; Lt. R. J. McBride, Inf-Res; Lt. J. T. Reiners, QMC-Res; Capt. P. C. Breen, QMC-Res; Lt. L. F. Rainville, AS-Res; Lt. A. C. Blanchard, AS-Res.

Exhibit—Maj. Henry B. Faber, Ord-Res; Maj. Arthur C. Forbes, Engr-Res; Capt. Arthur Lowe, Engr-Res; Capt. John T. Daly, JA-Res; Lt. H. W. Bender, Ord-Res; Lt. Edward A. Hammer, Engr-Res; Maj. J. P. Gordon, Engr-Res; Capt. Howard A. Scholle, AS-Res; Capt. Arthur Haas, CA-Res; Lt. K. L. Hayden, AS-Res; Lt. J. H. Miller, Engr-Res.

The program was as follows:

Military exhibit of arms of the Service. Concert by the 16th Infantry Band, U.S.A. Platoon drill by Lenox Road Cadets of the Lenox Road Baptist Church of Brooklyn, Lt. Paul Revere, commanding. Military display and rifle exercises by St. Joseph Institute for the Deaf; Maj. Thomas J. Tracy, instructor; Capt. William Foley, commanding.

Bayonet combat and mass games by Company B, 16th Inf., U.S.A., Capt. George T. Phipps, 16th Inf., U.S.A., commanding.

NEW NAVY BOOK

THE Society of Sponsors of the United States Navy, which was lately joined by Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, when she christened the airplane carrier Saratoga recently, has issued a supplementary volume to the set of books "Ships of the United States and Their Sponsors, 1797-1913," bringing the date up to 1923. The volume covers the period of 1913-1923 and is \$5 per copy. The funds realized from the sale of the volume will be added to the society's welfare fund. Those who desire copies can secure information from L. W. Perkins, 1262 New Hampshire Avenue N. W., Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Anne Martin Hall, wife of Rear Admiral Hall, and Miss Edith Wallace Benham, daughter of the late Rear Admiral Benham, compiled the work, which is reviewed in another column. Among the new members of the Society of Sponsors are Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, wife of the President, and Mrs. Wilbur. Mrs. Edwin Denby and Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wives of the two former Secretaries of the Navy, are also members.

Demonstration of Boy Scout work by Scout Troops of the Brooklyn-Edison Co. Knot tying, fire by friction, signaling, horse-and-rider contest.

Infantry attack by detachment of the 18th Inf., U.S.A. Demonstration of functions of machine guns, 37-mm. howitzers and Stokes mortars, supported by tank of 1st Tank Co., U.S.A., Lt. Carl E. A. Kugel, 18th Inf., U.S.A., commanding.

Drill by detachment of Marines, U.S.M.C., Brooklyn Navy Yard, 1st Lt. W. J. Stewart, U.S.M.C., commanding.

Aeroplane night attack by the 62d Artillery (antiaircraft) Regt., U.S.A. Demonstration of the searchlight, antiaircraft guns and machine guns. Maj. Meade Wildrick, C.A.C., U.S.A., commanding.

Battalion parade. Band, field music and 2d Battalion 245 (13th C.D.C.) Artillery, Maj. Edward J. Reilly, N.G., N.Y., commanding.

Company drill (close order), by Provisional Company of the C.M.T.C. Graduates of the C.M.T.C.'s of 1921-22-23-24. Capt. Cheney L. Bertholf, Inf., U.S.A., commanding; Lt. Walter J. Skelly, Inf-Res; Lt. Theodore R. Jennings, Inf-Res; Lt. Paul Revere, Inf-Res; Lt. Berndt T. D'Arcy, Engr-Res. Junior officers are members of the C.M.T.C. Provisional Company.

Artillery firing by detachment of the 245th Artillery. On 4-inch gun, Battery L, Capt. John D. Humphries, commanding. On 8-inch gun, Battery D, Capt. Harry H. Busener, S. On 12-inch mortar, Battery F, Capt. William J. Hislop.

Light Artillery drill by division representing 2d Battalion, Naval Militia, Brooklyn, Lt. J. Mack Young, commanding; Lt. (j.g.) Hugh T. Donnelly; Ensn. William H. Hayes.

Formal guard mounting by Co. F, 107th Inf. 7th Regt., N.G., N.Y., Capt. Otis R. Prior, commanding.

Half-mile run (handicap), open to U.S.A., U.S.N., U.S.M.C., National Guard, R.O.T.C., C.M.T.C. and Police Department Training School.

Presentation of prizes to winners of one-half mile run, donated and presented by Col. Herman A. Metz, N.G., N.Y.

Drill by the training school of the New York Police Department. Calisthenics, jiu jitsu, Butts Manual, boxing and close-order drill. Capt. Charles E. Schofield, New York Police Department, commanding.

One-mile run (novice). Closed to U.S.A., U.S.N., U.S.M.C., M.A.L., R.O.T.C., C.M.T.C. and Police Department Training School. Presentation of prizes to winners of one-mile run (novice), donated by the 1925 Masters' Association of the Third Masonic District of Kings by Wor. Bro. Harold C. Doyle.

Review of Provisional Regiment, Lt. Col. Howard L. Campion, Inf-Res, commanding. By Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, U.S.A.

First Battalion—Maj. B. Bloxham Ward, 16th Inf., commanding; Lt. C. B. Smith, adjutant; 16th Infantry, U.S.A.; 18th Infantry, U.S.A.; 62d Artillery, A.A., U.S.A.

Second Battalion—First Lt. W. J. Stewart, U.S.M.C., commanding; detachment of Marines; detachment of sailors; Brooklyn Navy Yard.

Third Battalion—Maj. Edward J. Reilly, commanding; Lt. Arthur C. Weyman, adjutant; 245th Artillery, N.G., N.Y.

Fourth Battalion—Capt. Otis R. Prior, commanding; Company F, 107th Infantry (7th Regiment, N.G., N.Y.).

Fifth Battalion—Lt. J. Mack Young, N.M., N.Y., commanding; Lt. (j.g.) Hugh Donnelly, N.M., N.Y., adjutant; division 2d Battalion, Naval Militia, Brooklyn.

Sixth Battalion—Capt. C. E. Schofield, commanding; Charles Stoffers, adjutant; New York Police Department Training School.

Seventh Battalion—Maj. Matthew G. Addison, Inf-Res, commanding; Lt. James L. Holton, Inf-Res, adjutant; C.M.T.C. Provisional Company; C.M.T.C. Manhattan Unit; Lenox Road Cadets.

Eighth Battalion—Maj. Robert Lee Bullard Jr.; Lt. Andrew S. Derby, Inf-Res, adjutant; Troop 300, Boy Scouts; Troop 301, Boy Scouts; Troop 302, Boy Scouts; Troop 303, Boy Scouts; Troop 304, Boy Scouts; (Brooklyn Edison Co.).

Dancing.

REVIEWS R.O.T.C.

COL. F. E. HUMPHRIES, Commanding the 102d Engineers, New York National Guard, was tendered a review by the cadets of the New York University Unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps on Philosophy Field, at University Heights on April 17. Colonel Humphries was accompanied by his entire staff.

Preceding the review ten members of the Junior Class were informally initiated into "Diamond and Circle" the honorary society for cadet officers. Membership in this organization is based upon loyalty to the university, scholarship, standing on the campus and proficiency as a cadet officer. This initiation ceremony was very cleverly staged and caused considerable merriment among the hundreds of spectators that were present. The candidates dressed in various types of military uniforms and wearing many styles of mustaches and beards gave a burlesque parade.

Col. Russell C. Langdon, Inf., D.O.L., is the professor of Military Science and Tactics of New York University.

THE ORGANIZED RESERVE

ABOUT one hundred Ordnance Reserve Officers will be trained, probably from May 31 to June 14, 1925, at Springfield Armory, Mass., Picatinny Arsenal, N. J., Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pa.; and the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif. This instruction will deal primarily with the procurement, inspection or maintenance, and manufacture of small arms, ammunition and fire control instruments. Plans are also being formulated for holding a course of instruction during this same period in the office of the Chief of Ordnance at Washington, D. C., and at possibly two other Ordnance establishments to be designated at a later date. Selection of the officers to undergo this instruction has not been made up to the present time, but an announcement on this subject is expected shortly.

At Springfield Armory, the course of training will be primarily for officers who are assigned to duty in connection with the procurement, inspection, or maintenance of small arms. It is estimated that about 18 officers who are assigned to Ordnance Maintenance companies will take this training as well as a number of officers who are assigned to special service.

The course of instruction at Frankford Arsenal will be for those officers who are assigned to duty in connection with the manufacture, procurement or inspection of ammunition and fire control instruments.

The instruction at Picatinny Arsenal will embrace the manufacture and inspection of explosives of propellant powders and pyrotechnics.

Arrangements are being made to train approximately one hundred officers of the various branches assigned to staff duty at the Presidio.

Request has been made of the various branches to which officers are assigned for recommendations of officers for this training. The War Department desires to impress upon all officers contemplating the taking of this training, that the shortage of funds may not permit all of the officers recommended to take this training, but the Department will notify each officer as to the action taken in his particular case as soon as the recommendations are received. Notification will be sent to the officers concerned sufficiently far enough in advance so that they may adjust their personal affairs.

THE Manhattan Chapter of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States will hold its annual meeting, dinner, dance and ladies' night at Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City, on Friday, May 1. The speakers and guests of honor will be men prominent in national and military circles. The toastmaster and presiding officer will be Brig. Gen. Brice P. Disque.

PRACTICAL instruction in material, in the methods of equipping an organization, and in using and maintaining the various items of Ordnance equipment, will be given to about 25 Reserve Officers of the Coast Artillery Corps, Field Artillery, and Ordnance Department at Raritan Arsenal, N. J., from April 12 to 26, 1925.

VETERINARY CORPS

IN anticipation of attending the approaching Summer training camp instruction, which will be held at Ft. Snelling, Minn., and at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., a number of Veterinary reserve officers have already filed their applications at the Veterinary Service headquarters, office of the Surgeon General of the Army, Washington, D. C. According to the proposed schedule of branch instruction of the Veterinary reserve officers attending these camps, which is based upon the assumption that there will be available a daily two-hour period for 12 days, or a total of 24 hours for this purpose, the object of this training is to acquaint the student officers with the organization and functions of the Veterinary Service and the methods employed in the fulfillment of its mission.

The 12 subjects included in the proposed schedule of instruction are as follows: General provisions of the Veterinary Service; Veterinary station service; remount purchasing and breeding headquarters, purchasing boards, ports of embarkation and debarkation, transports; Veterinary hospitals and hospital rules; physical examination of animals and practical demonstration; Veterinary sanitation; Veterinary forage inspection; communicable diseases of animals; Veterinary Service in theater operations; meat and dairy hygiene; reports and returns; second phase of Veterinary Service in theater of operations, which will include a practical demonstration, if possible, assigning students to front-line organizations, Veterinary company, and evacuation hospitals.


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MAINTAINING OUR IDEALS

VICE PRESIDENT CHARLES G. DAWES' speech at the rededication of Faneuil Hall in Boston the past week was based on an ideal which must appeal to the sound sense of the average American. He asked that the people rededicate themselves to the ideals which our forefathers died to establish. In this day of confusion of ideas, of hasty judgments founded on insufficient information, and of general restlessness, nothing could more serve to put everybody's feet solidly upon the ground than to carefully examine what the ideals were that our forefathers died to establish and how they can be applied to conditions of today.

General Dawes clearly brought out that the greatest of these principles was the maintenance of human liberty, by force if necessary, in order that it might be handed down inviolate to our children's children. The history of our country so far has shown that each time the American people have considered that this principle was in danger they have not hesitated to go to war, though always unprepared. The history of each of these wars shows that in spite of losses and even defeats, the will to continue until victory was finally obtained has always triumphed over the desires of the weak to make peace in order to save further destruction of property and limb and loss of life.

The phenomenon of an active and even organized section of the population who put personal comfort and safety above the maintenance of ideals is not a new one. During our Revolutionary War, aside from the Tories, who honestly were opposed to rebellion, there was always a large mass of people unwilling to risk their property and their persons in order to insure the establishment of the ideals for which Washington and his ragged army struggled through a long period of years. In our Civil War, Lincoln's greatest problem was frequently not the question of the success or failure of the armies in the field, but of what measures he could take to suppress the groups always ready to make peace on any terms, and particularly after a northern defeat. The recent war is so near that there is no need to point out the many examples of the different

groups in the different countries which considered peace, almost regardless of terms, of more importance than a definite settling of the questions which caused the war.

The maintenance of our institutions, with the consequent application to the questions of today of the ideals of our forefathers, should be the standard by which every American determines his course. No matter what the desire for peace, it should be sternly insisted that the first duty of citizenship is to recognize the necessity to maintain our ideals and institutions, regardless of the cost which it may entail, coupled with a personal readiness to accept the risks which such a course entails.

OUR GOVERNMENT AND UNITY OF COMMAND

FROM time to time and from different quarters in this country there comes an expressed desire to change our Government to the parliamentary form. There is always a number of Senators and Congressmen and other people of sufficient prominence to explain the disadvantages which would accrue in so far as peace is concerned. It is seldom, however, that anyone explains the tremendous disadvantages of the parliamentary system by comparison with our own, in times of war. After all, what happens in war in the course of a few months can do more to ruin or make a nation than the events of a hundred years of peace. Therefore, it is of the utmost importance for the citizens of this country to thoroughly understand in how far our method of government is weak or strong when our national existence is threatened.

Maj. Gen. Sir Frederick Maurice, of the British Army, in his recent book, "Robert E. Lee, the Soldier," brings out some very interesting facts based on his study of our Civil War and on comparisons between methods pursued in that war and in the recent World War. In an opening chapter he states: "There is no war which has yet passed into history which throws more valuable light than does the Civil War upon the grave problem of what should be the nature of the relation between the statesman and the soldier in a modern democracy at war."

In his discussion of the question, General Maurice points out that the general direction of a war, particularly nowadays, when it involves the mobilization of the whole resources of the country in every respect, must be in the hands of a statesman. He shows, however, that in order for such a statesman to distinguish between direction and interference in political and military affairs, he must have given the whole subject careful thought and study. He then goes on to point out that, unfortunately, statesmen do not give either until war is upon them. Following this line of thought, it would be a good thing to have our statesmen, and particularly the members of the Senate and House Committees on Military and Naval Affairs, take a course in the Army and Navy War Colleges. The Great War furnished abundant examples of failures, due to the fact that the necessities of war were not understood by men who had spent their lives in looking at life entirely from the point of view of success in peaceful pursuits.

General Maurice draws the conclusion that in the recent war the United States used its resources more as a unit and was less vexed on the question of the relation between soldiers and statesmen than were the allied powers. He attributes this: "Firstly, to the fact that its Constitution, as confirmed by the result of the Civil War, permits the establishment of a dictatorship automatically; and, secondly, to the tradition established by Lincoln."

In the latter part of his book, when telling how Lincoln put Grant in entire technical control of the war, while solemnly promising him that he would support him politically and with the whole force of the North, he sums up the question by stating: "Thenceforward, the conduct of the war by the North is, as I have already stated, in my judgment, the best example in existence of the co-ordination of political and military effort in a democracy. In acting as he did, Lincoln had established unity of command, but he abdicated neither his authority nor his responsibility."

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VOICE OF THE SERVICES

PEACE IN THE WORLD

TO THE EDITOR:

WILL you pardon my assumption, but I know that all your readers as well as the Editor are very desirous to bring around the absolute peace of the world. Even the Hon. W. J. Bryan is interested. We are all very much interested as long as we are out no pocket money. Of course we can only go by what we see in the papers.

I am not going to make any attempt to criticize any one. Now, some think that we should give the other countries all the money they owe us. I have no objections, but if the whole United States of America would tell the truth and act the truth, and not try to bring peace of the world with someone else paying the bill, we no doubt would be peaceful longer amongst ourselves. One fellow says give away twenty billion dollars, and another says practice economy. I am willing to practice economy, but let us be fair.

To bring around the peace of the world, pay the private soldier not less than one hundred dollars per month; dress him up; let him feel as if he is someone. In a very short time what will the result be? You will have in the Army and Navy men, who, after four years' service, can compete with West Pointers and Annapolis men. They, in my judgment, are the best all around men for any position where coolness and good judgment are necessary, that we have in the United States today.

What is the second greatest commandment that Christ gave out?—"Love thy neighbor as thyself." And I am saying that if the soldier were better paid, better fed, with nicer clothes, he sure would be our best neighbor. Why? Because, what is taught at West Point? I don't know what it is, but it is certainly all right, and after a man has served in the Army, and has been trained and educated and treated like a gentleman, he certainly brings good results in a neighborhood, and you can trust him in a bank or on a jury, and you are not afraid that he is going to tap you on the head. It's about time that the American Army doesn't have to foot the bills after all the wars. Then if you give good pay, you will get men, so that about 20 years from now, you would have corporals, captains and colonels enough to put twelve million men in the field in four days.

That's the way to bring peace to the world.—Love thy neighbor as thyself, and if he is not a good neighbor, teach him how. I could write several pages on this subject, but I cut it short so it would soak in. I am for the peace of the world.

F. B. L.

EQUALITY AND JUSTICE

TO THE EDITOR:

ONE of the primary things that we are most proud of as citizens of our United States is our Equality and Justice as evidenced by the Declaration of Independence and the preamble of the Constitution of the United States.

Here are a few instances illustrating the point:

(1) At the beginning of the World War, an officer entering the Regular Army came into the Service as a second lieutenant, provisional or otherwise, and was placed at the foot of the list of officers. He had to take the lowest grade, if he wanted to be a "Regular," even though he could have obtained a higher grade in the National Army.

When the war was over, the amended National Defense Act came along and permitted emergency officers to enter the Regular Army. But the law being somewhat retroactive also permitted the emergency officer to step over the Regular Army officer in grade and seniority, because of length of service during the emergency only, regardless whether the Regular had more total service to his credit than the emergency officer, whether the emergency officer had been discharged meanwhile or not, or whether the emergency officer was competent to hold the grade to which he was immediately promoted because of his length of service during the selected period.

The Regular suffered the lower grades during the war, without chance of promotion except by the War Department, and after the war, was rewarded by being reduced in number of files, meaning years of service. Why?

(2) The Bonus Bill comes along and grants a bonus to all officers up to and including the grade of captain, but not to officers who held a provisional (second

lieutenant) Commission or a temporary grade.

This means that the emergency officer who held the grade of captain or lower can receive the full bonus, even though he may be a Regular Army officer today, but the Regular, who held a provisional second lieutenancy, a temporary first lieutenancy or a temporary captaincy during the war, does not get the bonus. Why?

(3) The Reserve Officer of today (our emergency officer of the past) can obtain a promotion every three years, and when called to active service is a Regular Army officer for all intents and purposes. How often does a Regular receive a promotion? Is the Reserve Officer more proficient in military matters than the Regular who devotes all his time to the military profession? Is he supposed to be more patriotic, a better citizen?

I could enumerate a number of other instances similar to these which appear to be the most glaring, and in all of them you must bear in mind that the Regular Army officer is an honorable citizen and pays his taxes, that his Commission is not a political plum handed to him, that he is not merely a hired assassin and therefore deserving of no consideration, and that he must continually prove himself to be at least 85 per cent efficient or he would be eliminated by the class "B" board.

Why the discriminating legislation in every instance against the Regular Army.

Is the answer—because?

Equality and Justice—Where are you?

W. H. Y.

PROMOTION LIST REVISION

TO THE EDITOR:

I HAVE read with a good deal of amusement the column in a recent **ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL** with regard to Promotion List signed by an officer who calls himself "Interested." From the general tone of this communication "Interested" must be one of the second lieutenants of 1920 who jumped from second lieutenant to captain at one jump.

In 1920, when the examination for commissions in the Army were held by boards, it was the understanding at that time that men recommended for a certain rank would be placed among those officers that already ranked in the same grades recommendations were made for. Thus those officers who had served to such an extent as to be recommended as captain were to be placed at the bottom of the list of captains. Those men who had served to such an extent as to be first lieutenants would be put at the bottom of the list of first lieutenants, and those officers who had served to such an extent as to entitle them to only second lieutenancies would be placed at the bottom of the list of second lieutenants. I think that this was well understood by all those officers in the Reserve and emergency officers who took the examination, and stated that they would be willing to accept the commission which they received.

"Interested" does not seem to take into consideration that those officers who belong to the Leavenworth class, which was jumped by some 2,000 officers who came into the Regular Army around October, 1917, took the examination for commission in the Regular Army in July, 1917, and should have been commissioned as of July 23, 24 and 25, 1917, thereby saving them some 2,000 files. Nor does he take into fact the consideration that a large number of these men spent hundreds of dollars of their own money attending various schools in preparation for these examinations.

Nor does he take into consideration the fact that those officers, members of the West Point class in the Summer of 1918, had already spent three years of their life in preparation for their life's work.

In view of the above fact it seems only fair to the above-named officers of the West Point class, and the fifth Leavenworth class, that the Promotion List be revised to give them back the 2,000 files they were jumped. The commission, especially the fifth Leavenworth class, have their original commission redated so that their original commission would date from July 23, 1917, the date that they took the examination for commission in the Regular Army and passed same.

Also "Interested" knows that a large number of the men who were jumped in 1920 were in 1917 enlisted in the Service. This is due to the fact that only 5 per cent of any outfit were allowed to go to the first training camp, thereby being held back in the Promotion List due to the fact that they were already in the Service.

ALSO INTERESTED.

LEGAL DEPARTMENT

By SAMUEL T. ANSELL

The following digest of Comptroller General's decisions is announced:

The Comptroller General holds that the disbursing officer is responsible for all credits made by him on account of rental allowance for a dependent mother whether the recipient of the credits was continued in the Service or not. It was urged in the case under consideration that the officer resigned before the disbursing officer who made the payment had sufficient time to check the amount against the officer's pay (Seits case).

An officer discharged and recommissioned in a lower grade under the acts of June 30, 1922, and September 14, 1922, claimed longevity pay earned prior to discharge as being saved to him under the later act. In reviewing the case the Comptroller General adhered to his former decision on the subject, and said:

"The act of September 14, 1922, had for its purpose to avoid the reduction of pay then being received by the demoted officers and to save to them rights resulting from their having been in the Service June 30, 1922.

"The saved pay was the pay and allowances which they are now receiving; that is, receiving September 14, 1922, or when demoted; not pay they would be entitled to receive in the higher grade at some date in the future, but the precise pay they were receiving on that date; and this saved pay will continue unless otherwise changed by statute while the officer is serving in the grade to which demoted unless his length of service entitles him to a greater pay in that grade. This has been the uniform interpretation of the word 'now' in legislation affecting pay of personnel of the Army."

An officer of the Finance Department requested review of settlement disallowing credit in his disbursing accounts for payments aggregating \$97.77, to various enlisted men of the National Guard on account of drill pay where such men did not attend 60 per cent of the number of drills prescribed for their organizations during the particular months involved.

"It is urged by claimant that the amounts disallowed be passed to his credit for the reason that the payments in question were made to men who had attended 60 per cent of the drills it was possible for them to attend in a month after enlistment or before discharge from their organization; that the decision of this office dated December 13, 1921, 1 Comp. Gen. 320, was promulgated to disbursing officers by Finance Circular, Office, Chief of Finance, dated December 17, 1921, and was received by him on December 23, 1921, on which date he discontinued payments of the nature here in question; that as the principle advanced in the decision of March 3, 1921, 27 Comp. Dec. 773, was not understood to apply to men of such class and that it was impracticable to know on the dates they were paid that such method of payment would be disapproved.

"Held: The basis for computing drill pay for enlisted men of the National Guard was materially changed by the mandatory act of June 4, 1920, cited, effective from July 1, 1920. Question involving payments thereunder was proper for reference to this office for decision prior to payment. As the payments here in question were made contrary to the plain and unambiguous terms of the statute, the disallowance thereof, upon review, must be sustained."

An ensign requested review of claim for \$533.30, representing commutation of quarters, heat and light obtained by him for the periods August 10, 1920, to February 15, 1921, and March 1 to November 2, 1921, on his certificates that he maintained an abode for his dependent mother and actually and necessarily contributed to her not less than one-half of the cost of a reasonable living.

After reviewing the domestic conditions, the Comptroller General said:

"The act of April 16, 1918, 40 Stat. 530, authorized the furnishing of public quarters for a wife, child or dependent parent of an officer of the Army on duty in the field or on an active duty without the territorial jurisdiction of the United States who maintained a place of abode for such wife, child or dependent parent, and if quarters were not available at the place where the dependent was maintained, the act authorized the payment of commutation of quarters, heat and light.

"Under assimilating statutes, and decisions of the Comptroller of the Treasury, this act was applicable to officers of the Navy on sea duty. Payments were obtained by the ensign under this statute on his certificates that he maintained an abode for his mother and contributed more than one-half the cost of a reasonable living for her.

"Under the law where a father and mother are living together there is no authority for considering the dependency of the one as separate from that of the other; both are dependent or neither is dependent. Except in those exceptional cases where it is established by adequate evidence that the father is physically or mentally incapacitated for gainful employment, and is without property or income, the support of his wife and family is a legal duty of the husband and father.

"The mother is thus shown to have lived in a family group consisting of her husband and two daughters, one single, employed, contributing to the home and saving money, and the other married, the latter's husband a bank employee and business man, and a son 19 years old, stated to be going to school. Apart, therefore, from the question of the father's obligation to support the mother, and the fact of his business reverses, does not relieve him from obligation in that connection, it is revealed by the evidence that the mother's situation was such that there was no necessity for her officer son to have maintained a home for her, which in fact he did not, or to have contributed to her support an amount in excess of one-half of her living costs."

It was held, therefore, that the mother of the ensign was not his dependent within the meaning of the law, and that he was therefore not entitled to the commutation of quarters received by him in her behalf.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Questions having to do with military or naval matters will be answered in this department as soon as possible after their receipt. Communications must in all cases be signed, giving the correct name and address of the inquirer. A self-addressed stamped envelope must be enclosed if a personal reply is desired.

DE LUCO, Ft. STORY, VA.—Q. Please inform me through the column of the JOURNAL whether the men who are going to take an examination in May, 1925, for promotion from staff to technical and from technical to master, Coast Artillery Corps, will be notified prior to the examination and, if so, how long in advance of the examination.

A. No technical sergeants will be examined for promotion. Promotion examinations are not being required for noncommissioned staff officers who have held permanent warrants in the next higher grade in their present category.

SUBSCRIBER, C.T.S.—(1) Company "D," 11th U.S. Inf., arrived at Porto Rico August 2, 1898, and departed therefrom August 7, 1900. (2) Company "C," 7th U.S. Inf., arrived in the Philippine Islands April 19, 1901. (3) The band, 18th U.S. Inf., left the Philippine Islands September 16, 1901.

STAFF SGT., A.L., ORG. RES., PHILADELPHIA, PA.—(1) The 11th Cavalry arrived in Cuba October 15, 1906. (2) The 11th Cavalry departed from Cuba February 25, 1909. (3) The 2d Cavalry arrived in the Philippine Islands January 8, 1910.

TECH. SGT. R.H.C., ORD., FORT BARRY, CALIF.—Q. (1) When did Troop "H," 7th Cavalry, arrive in Cuba during the Spanish-American War? (2) Does time spent on furlough in the United States count as service toward retirement, or does this time have to be made up to complete the 30 years for retirement?

A. (1) January 16, 1899. (2) This time cannot be counted as double; may be counted for straight service.

CORP. F.C.V., FT. THOMAS, KY.—The 26th U.S. Infantry (Companies A, B, C, and D) arrived in the Philippine Islands March 19, 1901; and departed therefrom July 14, 1903.

H.A.C., GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.—(1) Companies C, D, H, and M of the 7th Infantry arrived in the Philippine Islands April 19, 1901, and departed therefrom June 12, 1902. (2) Troops A and C, 6th Cavalry, arrived in the Philippine Islands, November 20, 1900. Troop B, 6th Cavalry, arrived in the P. I. November 15, 1900, while Troop D of the same regiment arrived in the P. I. October 18, 1900. The four troops departed from the Islands April 4, 1903. (3) The 9th Infantry departed from Manila July 15, 1907.

SGT. P.G.P., INF., FT. MCPHERSON, GA.—Q. What date did the 32d U.S. Volunteers arrive in Manila, P. I., in 1899, and what date did they leave for the United States in 1901?

A. Companies B, H, I, and detachments of Signal and Hospital troops arrived in the P. I. October 27, 1899. Headquarters and Companies A, E, F, G, K, L, and M arrived in the P. I. October 30, 1899. The 2d Battalion, Companies F and S and C and D arrived in the P. I. November 3, 1899. The Regiment departed from the Islands March 23, 1901.

R.J.P., CHICAGO, ILL.—Q. The following question was asked in an examination. Deploy the platoon, each section in different formation. Kindly give me a correct answer to this question.

A. The correct method for a section to deploy is as follows: The leading squad deploys abreast of its corporal. The center and rear squads of the leading squad of the rear section deploy abreast of the leading squad; the center squad on its right, the rear squad on its left. It appears that the solution given in your letter is faulty. The squads of the first section did not deploy in their proper relative positions. In the second section they did not deploy in the proper relative positions. The only difference is that the second section is facing at an angle of 90 degrees with the first section.

The correct solution is the first section deploys facing the front with the leading squad in the center, the middle squad on the right and the rear squad on the left. The second section facing the front is deployed in a line of squad columns.

W.C.R., GRAND DAPIDS, MICH.—Q. Kindly inform me how to obtain a commission in the Regular Army. I would like to get in the Ordnance Department or Air Service, being as I am especially qualified in gasoline and oils. I now hold a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

A. Suggest that you apply to the commanding general of the 6th Corps Area, Chicago, Ill., to send you the necessary application blanks and other information on this subject. The law governing appointments to the regular establishment from the reserve provide that the age of the applicant must be between 21 and 30 years.

M.M.B., BRANSON, COLO.—No appointments have been made in the line since the 121d Lt. Lieutenants were appointed last summer. Several appointments in the Med. Admin. Administrative Corps have been made. In order to be considered, you will have to take the next examination, which will be held from June 15 to June 20, 1925.

MASTER SGT. RTD., OGDEN, UTAH.—Q. Is a retired enlisted man who has just completed three years' active duty entitled to reenlistment allowance now being paid to men who reenlist within the time limit provided by existing law?

A. This question is answered in the negative.

C.J.B., STEUBENVILLE, OHIO.—The present location of your friend J.B.W., who is now a lieutenant in the Navy, is Bureau of Naval Operations, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

SERVICE PUBLICATIONS

OHIO IN THE RAINBOW, 116th Infantry, by R. M. Cheseldine; published by the State of Ohio.

This is the story of the 116th Ohio Infantry in the World War. The book is an excellent example of a good regimental history. It is a combination of the military facts connected with the regiment's career, and of human interest matter, which will make it of interest to the personnel of the regiment itself, to the 42d Division as a whole, and, above all, to those students of military history, who so often hunt in vain for accounts of what the human beings concerned in military events really felt and did.

Besides consulting the War Department files, and all other sources of available information, the unusual but highly desirable course was taken of gathering together a group of more than 30 former members of the regiment—officers and enlisted men—who listened to a reading of the first draft of the book. At this meeting all battalions and auxiliary companies were represented. The veterans present criticized, advised, suggested eliminations and additions. To prevent the war service of the regiment standing as an isolated incident, there is a chapter in the beginning, dealing with the history of the regiment prior to the recent war, and one in the back of the book, telling of its history since.

The regiment sailed with the rest of the 42d Division for France in October, 1917, and started its return from the Rhine April, 1919, therefore it was one of the units of the American Expeditionary Force with the most service.

One of the most vital parts of the story is the tale of the difficult Winter of 1917-18, devoted to training until February, when the first experience at the front was had. The next chapter deals with the regiment's first service with the French in the Luneville sector of Lorraine. The following chapters deal with its subsequent service of several months in the Baccarat sector, the splendid part which it played in helping to stop the last great German offensive the 15th-16th of July in the Champagne; the bloody crossing of the Ourcq after relieving the 26th Division just across the Soissons-Chateau Thierry highway the last of July, the attack at St. Mihiel and the subsequent holding of the line in the center of the St. Mihiel sector; the march to the Argonne; the bloody struggles after relieving the 1st Division in front of Landres-St. Georges, and the final advance which ended on the hills above Sedan just before the Armistice; the march to Germany and its German Occupation.

The race for Sedan, with its mixing of units of the 1st and 42d Divisions, and the consequent dispute as to which of the different units of each division got the closest to Sedan, is dealt with very fairly. There is no attempt at argument. All the facts and all the evidence available are presented to the reader, who can draw his own conclusions. The appendix contains maps of each operation, all the essential orders and citations, and a very complete roster of the regiment throughout, with its casualty lists. The book is a valuable addition to the documents pertaining to the war and is one which every person interested in knowing the experience of Americans in France should read.

SHIPS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY AND THEIR SPONSORS, 1913-1923, By Anna Martin Hall and Edith Wallace Benham. Copyright by the Society of Sponsors of the United States Navy. Price \$5 per copy.

The volume, which is supplementary to "Ships of the United States Navy and Their Sponsors, 1797-1913," contains the accurate record relating to the launching and naming of American fighting craft down to the year 1923. In addition, it gives an excellent account of the reason for naming each vessel and a brief review of the lives of the naval heroes after whom some of the vessels were named.

The contents are arranged in seven sections, each of which, while related to the whole, is distinctly separate in the character of the information that it gives. The arrangement can be highly commended, as it enables the reader to secure pertinent information on any phase of the topic he or she desires, this without being forced to mull through interesting but non-pertinent matter.

The seven sections are entitled: "Customs of Bestowing the Name on U. S. Navy Vessels; Nomenclature and U. S. Statute Laws Governing Names of Vessels; Ships of the U. S. Navy and Their Sponsors, 1913-1923, Alphabetically Arranged; Society of Sponsors of the U. S. Navy; The Baptism of Ships—A History of the Customs Among Various Nations"; Addenda to "Ships of the U. S. Navy and Their Sponsors, 1797-1913"; and "Index of Names of Sponsors of U. S. Navy Vessels."

In the portion of the volume devoted to explanation of the nomenclature of Navy vessels is an extract from a letter sent by Ericsson, inventor of the "Monitor," to the Secretary of the Navy advocating the bestowal of that name on vessels of the "cheesebox on a raft" type.

In the third part of the book, which gives the dates, sponsors and principal facts in connection with the construction and launching of Navy vessels from 1913 to 1923, are the records of numerous naval officers and men, which serve to recall the excellent caliber of the United States Navy personnel and to bring to mind the legion of heroes whose names are practically forgotten outside of Navy circles.

The christening of the submarine S-48 by Mrs. James O. Germaine, who is an Indian princess, is featured by a picture of Mrs. Germaine in her tribal regalia as Princess Toocooma, daughter of the Chief of the Council of the Mohegan Tribe, just prior to the launching of the subsea craft.

The volume is a ready reference for any who are interested in the Navy, and few Americans are not. Although primarily an addition to books naval officers in particular should possess, it can be said to hold a universal appeal to all admirers of the Navy.

GENERAL STAFF

Col. Julian R. Lindsey, G.S. (Cavalry), is relieved from detail as a member of the General Staff and duties in the office of Chief of Staff, Washington, D. C., and is then assigned to the 14th Cavalry, Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. (April 16.)

Col. George C. Barnhardt, G.S. (Cavalry), is relieved from detail as a member of the General Staff and duties in the office of Chief of Staff, Washington, D. C., and is assigned to the 6th Cavalry, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. (April 16.)

Lt. Col. Aristides Moreno, G.S., now on duty at Washington, D. C., will proceed to Army and Navy Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., for treatment. (April 16.)

Col. William E. Welsh, G.S. (Infantry), is relieved from detail as member of General Staff Corps, and duties in the office of Chief of Staff, Washington, D. C., effective April 18, and assigned to the 3d Infantry, Ft. Snelling, Minn. (April 17.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. H. TAYLOR, C. OF E.

Maj. James J. Loving is relieved from the 2d Division at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., will report to the 8th Corps Area for duty with the General Staff. (April 16.)

First Lt. John W. Moreland, 13th Engineers, is relieved from Ft. Humphreys, Va., and is detailed at Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va. He will report to the 3d Corps Area for temporary duty on May 15 for preliminary instruction. (April 16.)

First Lt. Preston W. Smith is relieved at Iowa City, Iowa, effective upon discharge from Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., and will report to Ft. Humphreys, Va., for duty with 13th Engineers. (April 18.)

Col. George M. Hoffman, now at New Orleans, La., is detailed with the Organized Reserves, 4th Corps Area, assigned as executive 528th Engineering Battalion, Troy, Ala., in addition to other duties. (April 18.)

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. C. C. WILLIAMS, C. OF O.

First Lt. Merle H. Davis is relieved from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to be effective August 1. He will proceed to Frankford Arsenal, Pa., for duty. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of the Ordnance Department are relieved from the Ordnance School, Watertown Arsenal, Mass., as students, is assigned as specified after his name: Maj. Reiff H. Hannum, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. Capt. Morris K. Barrell, Jr. (C.A.), Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Capt. George M. Wells, Rock Island Arsenal, Pa.; Capt. Lloyd R. Rogers, Frankford Arsenal, Pa.; 1st Lt. Frank K. Reed (C.A.), Watervliet Arsenal, N. Y.; 1st Lt. James W. Waiters, Raritan Arsenal, N. J.; 1st Lt. Edward W. Smith, instructor, Ord. Specialists' School, Raritan Arsenal, N. J.; 1st Lt. John W. Slattery, Curtin Bay Ord. Reserve Depot, Md.; 1st Lt. Oscar A. Saunders, Rock Island Arsenal, Ill. (April 17.)

Second Lt. Franklin Mitchell is relieved from duty at the Ordnance School, Watertown Arsenal, Mass., and will then report to the commanding officer, Watertown Arsenal for duty. (April 17.)

Capt. Edward E. MacMoreland is relieved from the Army Industrial College and duty in the office of the Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C., will report to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., June 30. (April 18.)

Capt. Edward A. Murphy, at 8th Corps Area Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, will report to the San Antonio Arsenal, for duty. (April 18.)

Maj. Everett Collins is relieved from Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., and duty in the office of Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C., is assigned to the 2d Division. (April 18.)

Capt. William J. Henry is relieved from the Army Industrial College and duty in the office of the Chief of Ordnance, is ordered to the Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. (April 18.)

Maj. Stephen H. MacGregor is relieved from the Springfield Armory, Mass., August 15, and will proceed to Ft. Benning, Ga., as Ord. officer and Ord. member of the Inf. board. (April 18.)

Maj. Keith F. Adamson is relieved from Ft. Bragg, N. C., is assigned to the office of Chief of Ord. and report to the 62d Regiment, C.A.C., for temporary duty until the arrival of Maj. Walter P. Boatwright, about June 15. (April 18.)

Maj. William C. Young is relieved from the office of Chief of Ord., and will proceed to Ft. Bragg, N. C., June 30, as Ord. officer and member of the F.A. board. (April 18.)

COAST ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. F. W. COE, C. OF C.A.

Maj. Charles O. Schudt is relieved as instructor, National Guard, New York City, effective August 20, and will then report to the Chief, Militia Bureau, War Dept., for duty in his office. (April 16.)

Capt. Homer Case is assigned as student in the battery officers' course, the C. A. School, Ft. Monroe, Va., about Sept. 12. (April 16.)

Maj. John L. Homer is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, as student, and will then report to the Commandant Disciplinary Barracks, at Alcatraz, Calif., for duty. (April 16.)

Maj. Delmar S. Lenznorm is relieved as instructor, National Guard, Wilmington, N. C., and will report to the Chief, Militia Bureau, Washington, D. C., for duty in his office. (April 16.)

Maj. George A. Wildrich is relieved from duty with the 2d C. A. district, Ft. Totten, N. Y., June 30, and is assigned to the 62d C. A., Ft. Totten, N. Y. (April 17.)

Majs. Raymond H. Fenner and Austin G. Frick are relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will sail from San Francisco, about September 3, for the Philippine Islands. (April 17.)

Capt. Nelson H. Duval, Arthur W. Gower, and 1st Lt. Howard H. Newman, Jr., are re-

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Deputy Chief of Staff—Brig. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan.

lieved, as students, C. A. School, Ft. Monroe, Va., and assigned to the 61st C.A. upon completion of their course of instruction. (April 17.)

Lt. Col. James A. Thomas is relieved from the Army War College, Washington, D. C., and detailed with the Organized Reserves of the 4th Corps Area, and assigned to as asst. to the Chief of Staff, 81st Div., Organized Reserves, Knoxville, Tenn. (April 18.)

Second Lt. Joe F. Simmons is relieved from the 12th C.A. and duty at Ft. Monroe, Va., and will sail from San Francisco, about June 17, for the Philippine Islands. (April 18.)

Capt. Joseph W. Barker, 9th C.A., is relieved from Ft. Banks, Mass., and at Mass. Institute of Technology, Cambridge, and is then detailed as instructor, Mass. National Guard, with station at Boston. (April 18.)

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. MALIN CRAIG, C. OF CAV.

Maj. Wilfred M. Blunt is relieved from duties with the 62d Div., Organized Reserves, Baltimore, and will report about July 1, to the commandant, Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., for duty. (April 16.)

Capt. Royden Williamson, 5th Cav., is relieved from Ft. Clark, Tex., and will report to the Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., for duty. (April 17.)

Capt. Richard N. Atwell, now on duty at the University of Illinois, is detailed with the Organized Reserves, of the 6th Corps Area, effective June 19. (April 16.)

Capt. Cyrus J. Wilder, 2d Cav., is relieved from Ft. Riley, Kans., and detail at the New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, N. Mex. (April 16.)

Capt. William T. Johnston, inspector general (Cav.), is relieved from detail in the Inspector General's Dept., effective June 27, and assigned to the 12th Cav., Ft. Brown, Texas. (April 16.)

Capt. Henry R. Richmond is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and is then assigned to the 13th Cav., Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo. (April 16.)

Col. Leon B. Kramer is relieved from the Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., and is then assigned to the 11th Cav., Presidio of Monterey, Calif. (April 16.)

Capt. Louis A. Pulling, 2d Cav., is relieved from Ft. Riley, Kans., and will proceed to Governors Island, and report to the commanding general for recruiting in the 2d Corps Area. (April 16.)

Col. Henry C. Smither on duty as Coordinator, Bureau of the Budget, Washington, D. C., is detailed as instructor, 29th Div., National Guard, Washington, D. C., effective April 20, in addition to his other duties. (April 16.)

Lt. Col. George W. Biegler, inspector general (Cav.), is relieved from detail in the Inspector General's Dept., and from the 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, effective June 27, and will report to the San Francisco intermediate depot, as executive officer, Ft. Mason, Calif. (April 17.)

Lt. Col. George B. Rodney is relieved as executive officer, 34th F.A., 90th Div., Organized Reserves, effective upon arrival of Maj. John W. Downer, F.A. He will proceed to San Antonio, and report to the 90th Div., as asst. to the chief of staff. (April 18.)

In an amended order, Maj. Joseph P. Aleshire is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will sail from San Francisco about September 2, for the Hawaiian Islands. (April 18.)

Maj. James J. O'Hara is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will report to Ft. Riley, Kans., for duty with the Cav. Board. (April 18.)

Maj. John T. McLane is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will proceed to Washington for duty in the office of Chief of Cav. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of the Cav. is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, is then assigned to the Regiment specified after his name: Lt. Col. Walter J. Scott, 9th Cav., Ft. Riley, Kans.

Lt. Col. Richard W. Walker, 4th Cav., Ft. Meade, S. D.; Maj. William W. Gordon, 11th Cav., Presidio of Monterey, Calif.; Maj. Emil P. Pierson, 14th Cav., Ft. Des Moines, Iowa; Maj. William C. Christy, 9th Cav., Ft. Riley, Kans.; Maj. Harley C. Dagley, 13th Cav., Ft. Riley, Kans.; Maj. Russell, Wyo.; Capt. William C. Shipp, 13th Cav., Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of the Cav. is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and then assigned to the 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Texas: Majs. Charles L. Stevenson, Alexander D. Surles and Herbert M. Ostroski. (April 18.)

Capt. Frederick F. Duggan, 10th Cav., is relieved from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., and will report to the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, September 11. (April 18.)

Maj. Kinzie B. Edwards is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and then assigned to the 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Texas. (April 18.)

FIELD ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. W. J. SNOW, C. OF F.A.

Maj. Julian F. Barnes is relieved from the Command and General Staff School and will report to the Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., for duty. (April 16.)

Col. Conrad H. Lanza, 17th F.A., is relieved from Ft. Bragg, N. C., and will report to the

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT H. ALLEN, C. OF INF.

Maj. Robert H. Fletcher, Jr., is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and assigned to Ft. Benning, Ga., on the School Staff. (April 16.)

Maj. William A. Ganee, Inf., is relieved from the General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., and will report to commandant Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C. (April 16.)

In an amended order, Capt. Charlton Coulter, Jr., is directed to proceed to Camp Meade, Md., for temporary duty until he sails for the Canal Zone, August 6. (April 16.)

In amended order, Capt. Joseph L. Bachus will report to Camp Dix, N. J., on temporary duty until he sails for the Canal Zone, August 6. (April 16.)

Second Lt. Paul C. Serff, 4th Inf., 3d Div., is relieved from Ft. Lawton, Wash., effective at such time as will enable him to sail from San Francisco, July 8, for the Hawaiian Islands. (April 16.)

Capt. Albert L. Tuttle, 65th Inf., now on temporary duty at the University of Porto Rico, Rio Piedras, is relieved from the 65th Inf., San Juan, and detailed at the above duty. (April 16.)

Maj. Sam L. McCants is assigned as student in the advanced class, the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., September 11. (April 16.)

Lt. Col. John J. Fulmer is relieved from the Army War College as student and will report to the commandant, Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., for duty as executive officer. (April 16.)

Maj. Godfrey R. Fowler is relieved from assignment at the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and assigned to the 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. (April 16.)

First Lt. William R. McMaster, 7th Inf., is relieved from duty at Chilkoot Barracks, Alaska, and is assigned to the 3d Div., 9th Corps Area. (April 16.)

Maj. Frederick J. Osterman is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and assigned to the 1st Div., Governors Island, N. Y. (April 16.)

In an amended order, Daniel G. Berry is relieved from the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, August 24. (April 17.)

Lt. Col. John P. McAdams, 5th Inf., is relieved from Ft. Williams, Me., and will report to the Chief, Militia Bureau, War Dept., for duty in his office. (April 17.)

Col. Thomas R. Harker, is relieved from temporary duty as officer in charge Correspondence Schools, Chicago, Ill., May 1, and detailed for duty with the Organized Reserves, 6th Corps Area. (April 17.)

First Lt. Frederick A. Savage, San Francisco, will report to Letterman General Hospital, for treatment. (April 17.)

First Lt. William H. Collette, Camp Alfred Vail, N. J., will proceed to Walter Reed General Hospital, for treatment upon completion of his course of instruction. (April 17.)

Capt. Gordon P. Savage is relieved from the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, and detailed at Depauw University, Greencastle, Ind. (April 17.)

Capt. Basil D. Spaulding is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth and detailed at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky. (April 17.)

Capt. George S. Clarke is relieved from the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., and detailed at the Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. (April 17.)

First Lt. Graham P. Brotherson is relieved from the 15th Tank Battalion, and duty at Ft. Benning, Ga., and assigned to the 34th Inf., Ft. Eustis, Va. (April 17.)

Maj. Charles L. Mitchell is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and is detailed as instructor, National Guard, with station at Albany, N. Y. (April 17.)

In an amended order Capt. Donovan P. Yeull is relieved from the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, and assigned to the 13th Inf., Ft. Warren, Mass. (April 17.)

Each of the following-named officers is assigned to the organization after his name: Capt. Charles R. Jones, 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.; Capt. William S. Myers, 17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Neb.; 1st Lt. Arthur J. Russell, to 3d Inf., Ft. Meade, S. D. (April 17.)

First Lt. Dennis P. Murphy is assigned to the 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston Tex., upon his return from foreign service. (April 17.)

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1ST ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Boston, Mass.
MAJ. GEN. A. W. BREWSTER, COMDR.
Col. C. D. Roberts, Chief of Staff.

Lt. Col. Herbert Franklin French is ordered to active duty for a period of 10 days, effective May 1, for training at corps headquarters.

Col. John S. Switzer, Inf., D.O.L., on temporary duty in connection with the instruction of units of the National Guard of Vermont.

Capt. Charles S. Ferris, F.A., is assigned to the 7th Field Artillery, with station at Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.

Capt. Fred I. Gilbert, Ord. Dept., D.O.L., instructor ordnance troops, National Guard, is ordered to Hartford, Conn., on temporary duty in connection with instruction of National Guard troops.

Capt. William R. Bent, Inf., D.O.L., Headquarters 94th Division, ordered to temporary duty in connection with the recruiting for C.M.T.C. at Concord, Mass.

Leaves.—One month and 13 days granted 1st Lt. Raymond E. Shum, 18th Inf. Brigade, Boston, effective April 18. One month and 15 days granted 1st Lt. Richard G. McKee, 5th Inf., Ft. McKinley, Me., effective May 1. One month granted Capt. Adlai H. Gilkeson, A.S., D.O.L., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass., effective July 31.

2D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Governor's Island, N. Y.
MAJ. GEN. C. P. SUMMERRALL, COMDR.
Col. W. P. Jackson, Chief of Staff.

Col. John N. Straat, Inf., D.O.L., is announced as Acting Chief of Staff, 98th Division.

Maj. Clark Lynn, A.G.D., is assigned Adjutant, 1st Division, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.

Lt. Col. Walter M. Bricknor, Med-Res, is assigned to General Hospital No. 82, New York City, as chief of surgical service.

First Lt. Stanley H. Lovering, CA-Res, is assigned to 2d Coast Artillery District.

Maj. Edmund B. Gregory, Q.M.C., D.O.L., is assigned to temporary duty in connection with the annual field training of the New York National Guard at Pine Camp, N. Y.

Maj. Henry B. Saylor, Ord. Dept., is assigned to inspect and instruct units of the New Jersey National Guard during the present month.

Lt. Col. Fordyce B. St. John, Med-Res, is assigned to Surgical Hospital No. 2, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, New York City, as commanding officer.

The following-named officers are assigned to the 12th Corps: Capts. Francis A. Adams, John J. Collins, George W. Cook, John P. Dolan, Howard Best, Laurence Delnore, Joseph M. Boyle, Frank F. Carter, Earl W. Evans, Paul Follen, and John D. Andrews, Q.M.C.; Maj. Allen E. Ranson, Engr-Res.

Capt. Norman R. Harned, Q.M.C., and 1st Lt. Leroy L. Hardin, Q.M.C., are assigned to the 98th Division.

Maj. George F. Raynor, Med-Res, is assigned to General Hospital No. 48, Metropolitan Hospital, Welfare Island, New York City, as chief of medical service.

3D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Baltimore, Md.
MAJ. GEN. SAMUEL D. STURGIS, COMDR.
Col. F. S. Cocheu, Chief of Staff.

Lt. Col. John Carmichael, Engr-Res, is relieved from his present assignment to the 62d Cavalry and is assigned to the Non-Divisional Group.

First Lt. Donald B. Stess, AS-Res, is relieved from assignment to the Non-Divisional Group and is assigned to the National Guard of the State of Pennsylvania.

Second Lts. Howard E. Bowman, Inf-Res; Ralph J. Bradford, AS-Res; Donald W. Griffin, Cav-Res; David E. Moyer, Cav-Res, are assigned to the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Capt. Robert A. W. McKeldin, Med-Res, and 2d Lt. Harold N. Morgan, FA-Res, are assigned to the 97th Division.

First Lt. Charles I. Shaffer, Med-Res, is assigned to the 99th Division.

First Lt. Ethan B. Cudney, Med-Res; 1st Lt. Wilfred P. Als, MP-Res; 2d Lt. Henry B. Pease, MP-Res; and 2d Lt. John H. Graebing are assigned to the Non-Divisional Group.

Lt. Col. De Forest P. Willard, Med-Res, is assigned to the Non-Divisional Group with a view to his further assignment to headquarters, Hospital Center No. 1, as orthopedic consultant.

Capt. Edward B. Maguire, Cav-Res, is attached to the 62d Cavalry Division for instruction and training.

Lt. Col. Goodwin Compton, Sig. Corps, D.O.L., Headquarters Non-Divisional Group, is ordered to Ft. Howard, Md., for temporary duty in connection with Summer training camps to be held at Camp Meade, Md.

Capt. Lloyd C. Ritchie, Engr-Res, is attached to the 79th Division for instruction and training.

Capt. Walter L. Peters, Inf-Res, is assigned to the 80th Division.

First Lt. Charles F. Young, Inf-Res, is assigned to the 99th Division.

Capt. George N. Serre, Dent-Res, and 2d Lts. Edgar G. Lynch, Inf-Res; Virgil Williams, Inf-Res; and Herbert R. Young, Inf-Res, are assigned to the Non-Divisional Group.

The following-named Reserve officers are attached to the 62d Cavalry Division for instruction and training: Lt. Col. George E. Jiams, Maj. Louis E. Lamborn, Maj. John W. Noble, Capt. Frank R. Burgard, Capt. Walter E. Morris, 1st Lts. Richard N. Chubb, Albert A. Everett, Alexander Kreager, John R. Lutz, Laurans C. Pierce, and Charles E. Wood.

Lt. Col. Howard R. Smalley, Cav., will report for temporary duty April 26 to the commanding officer, Ft. Myer, Va., in connection with the training of the 305th Cavalry.

Col. Clint C. Hearn, C.A.C., Chief of Staff, Non-Divisional Group, ordered to Philadelphia on temporary duty in connection with Organized Reserve activities.

Maj. Edwin P. Parker, Jr., F.A., D.O.L., is assigned to Headquarters, 1st Field Artillery Brigade, Ft. Hoyle, Md.

Maj. Percy B. McCoy, FA-Res, is relieved

ARMY CORPS AREA AND DEPARTMENTS

from present assignment to the 80th Division and is assigned to the Non-Divisional Group.

Leaves.—Two months granted Capt. Joseph L. Bachus, Inf, effective about June 1.

4TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Atlanta, Ga.

MAJ. GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, COMDR.
Col. T. W. Darrah, Chief of Staff.

Brig. Gen. Albert J. Bowley, U.S.A., Ft. Bragg, N. C., will make many visits in North Carolina on temporary duty in connection with recruiting for Citizens' Military Training Camps.

First Lt. Willis S. Bryant, 5th F.A., Ft. Bragg, will make many visits in North Carolina on temporary duty in connection with the Citizens' Military Training Camps.

Capt. Edgar G. Cooper, 22d Inf., will proceed to Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for treatment.

Maj. Edgar W. Taulbee, 5th Cav., will leave Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., for Atlanta, on temporary duty about April 19.

Maj. John A. Parker, J.A., is announced as assistant to the Corps Area Judge Advocate.

Leaves.—Three months, effective about May 18, granted Field Clerk Luther S. Price, Q.M. Corps; two months and four days, effective about April 6, granted Capt. Charles G. Hutchinson, 6th Cav.

5TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio.

MAJ. GEN. OMAR BUNDY, COMDR.
Col. T. E. Merrill, Chief of Staff.

No orders received.

6TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Chicago, Ill.

MAJ. GEN. H. C. HALE, COMDR.
Col. R. E. Wylie, Chief of Staff.

Lt. Col. Charles A. Clark, Q.M.C., D.O.L., will proceed to Camp Sparta, Wis., about April 18 to carry out the instructions of the Corps Area commander in connection with Summer training camp.

The following-named officers are ordered to Camp Sparta for temporary duty at Summer training camp about April 15: Maj. Charles C. Reynolds, Q.M.C., and 1st Lt. Andre L. Violante, Q.M.C.

Capt. Herbert L. Harries, 6th Inf., will proceed to Jefferson Barracks and St. Louis, Mo., and many points in Illinois in connection with recruiting activities.

Lt. Col. William B. Graham, Inf., D.O.L., is announced as recruiting officer at Chicago, Ill.

The following-named Reserve officers of the Engineer Corps are relieved from the 427th Engineers and assigned to 696th Engineer Battalion (Aux.): Capts. James E. Grimes, Russell R. Hand, Samuel E. Minor, Norman M. Stineman, William F. Walsh and 1st Lt. Allen F. Owen.

Second Lt. Val Prince, Engr-Res, is relieved from 381st Engineers (Gen. Ser.) and assigned to 696th Engineer Battalion (Aux.).

The following-named Reserve officers of the Engineer Corps are assigned to the 696th Engineer Battalion (Aux.): 1st Lts. Fred F. Rose and Harold C. Wyatt, 2d Lts. John P. Sanger and Raymond D. Johnson.

The following-named Engineer Corps officers are relieved from attachment for training to the 381st Engineer Battalion (Gen. Ser.) and are assigned thereto: 1st Lt. Forest F. Owen and 2d Lt. George L. Seaton.

First Lt. Sidney L. Griffith, Engr-Res, is assigned to the 427th Engineer Battalion (Aux.).

Second Lt. George R. Cully, Engr-Res, is assigned to the 505th Engineer Battalion (Ry.).

First Lt. David A. Hill, Engr-Res, is assigned to the 582d Engineer Train (D.T.).

Capt. John N. Thorpe, Jr., AS-Res, is relieved from headquarters 9th Attack Wing, and is assigned to the 309th Attack Group Headquarters.

Maj. George L. Simpson, Inf-Res, is assigned to headquarters 202d Infantry Brigade, 101st Division.

Second Lt. John R. Anderson, Q.M.C., is assigned to the 641st Bakery Company.

First Lt. Gordon B. Reese, Inf-Res, is assigned to headquarters 101st Division (G.G.S. Sec.).

The following-named Reserve officers are assigned to 402d Infantry Division: Maj. William H. Roberts, Inf-Res; 1st Lt. Paul H. Dawley, Inf-Res.

Capt. Augustus F. Gearhardt, Chap-Res, is attached to the 401st Infantry, 101st Division.

Maj. Harry C. Hengell, Chap-Res, is attached to the 402d Infantry, 101st Division.

First Lt. E. Reginald Williams, Chap-Res, is attached to the 326th Medical Regiment, 101st Division.

First Lt. John R. Cotten, AS-Res, is relieved from attachment to Divisional Aircraft Service Headquarters.

An amended order assigns Capt. Harry W. Koster, Q.M.C., as executive officer of the 617th, 640th, 641st, and 716th Bakery Companies units.

Capt. B. F. Hurles, Inf., D.O.L., will visit various points in Wisconsin in connection with C.M.T.C. activities.

Leaves.—One month and 15 days, effective August 1, granted 1st Lt. R. T. Schlosberg, Signal Corps, D.O.L.; two months, effective April 6, granted Warrant Officer Samuel M. Vickery, U.S.A.

7TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Omaha, Nebr.

MAJ. GEN. G. B. DUNCAN, COMDR.
Col. H. A. Eaton, Chief of Staff.

No orders received.

8TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters

Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

MAJ. GEN. ERNEST HINDS, COMDR.
Col. J. F. Preston, Chief of Staff.

Col. John F. Preston, G.S., Chief of Staff, these headquarters, will proceed to Houston, No. 1.

and Galveston, Tex., on temporary duty in connection with recruiting for the Citizens' Military Training Camps.

Capt. Lester A. Sprinkle, Cav., D.O.L., instructor New Mexico National Guard, Roswell, N. Mex., will visit Santa Fe, N. Mex., and Ft. Bliss, Tex., in the interest of the New Mexico National Guard, in camp at Ft. Bliss, July 7 to 21.

Capt. Clifford A. Eastwood, Cav., D.O.L., instructor National Guard, Houston, Tex., will make one visit to Troop B, 112th Cavalry, at La Grange, Tex.

Maj. George V. Charlton, Inf., D.O.L., recruiting officer, these headquarters, will proceed to Houston and Galveston, Tex., in connection with recruiting for the Regular Army about April 10.

Capt. Leo F. Crane, F.A., D.O.L., recruiting officer, Oklahoma City, Okla., is relieved from temporary duty in connection with recruiting at Ft. Sam Houston about April 10.

First Lt. Robert S. Beard, Q.M. Corps, Schofield Barracks, is relieved, effective upon his departure, sailing about April 4 via the Panama Canal for New York City. He will report to the Quartermaster School, Philadelphia, about September 22.

Leaves.—Three months and 24 days, granted Maj. Wallace L. Clay, Ordnance Department, effective upon arrival in the United States; three months granted Capt. Adam Richmond, J.A.G. Dept., with permission to leave this department; four months, effective upon arrival in the United States, granted Capt. G. A. Miller, 19th Inf.; four months, effective upon arrival in the United States, granted John I. Meagher, Med. Corps; four months, effective upon arrival in the United States, granted Lawrence L. W. Meitzner, 19th Inf.; two months and 15 days, effective upon arrival in New York, N. Y., granted 1st Lt. Robert S. Beard, Q.M. Corps.

Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., for duty.

Capt. William H. Moore, Ft. Ruger, is relieved, effective upon his departure, sailing about May 23, to San Francisco. He will report to Ft. Hayes, Ohio, for duty.

Capt. Stanley W. Root, 11th Field Artillery, Schofield Barracks, is relieved, effective upon his departure, sailing about April 4 to San Francisco. He will report to Ft. Sill, Okla., 1st Field Artillery, for duty.

Capt. George A. Miller, 19th Inf., is relieved, effective about May 23, sailing to San Francisco. He will report to the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., September 22.

Capt. Henry L. Barrett, 35th Inf., Ft. Shafter, is relieved, effective upon departure, sailing about May 23 to San Francisco. He will report to the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student.

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PANAMA CANAL DEPARTMENT

Headquarters

Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone.
MAJ. GEN. W. D. LASSITER, COMDR.
Col. James A. Woodruff, Chief of Staff.

No orders received.

PHILIPPINE DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Manila, P. I.

MAJ. GEN. J. H. McRAE, COMDR.
Col. Guy V. Henry, Chief of Staff.

No orders received.

RECEPTION FOR V-1

THE V-1 received a magnificent reception when it entered the Port of Georgetown, British Guiana, according to report which has been forwarded to the State Department by the American Consul. It was the first time that the inhabitants of Guiana had seen a submarine, and Lt. Comdr. Sherwood Picking and his command would not have been received with more attention or with more enthusiasm if they had been a victorious force returning from war.

The program started with a reception given by the Governor, followed by conferring practically the freedom of the city to the officers and men of V-1. The American Consul states that the uniform of the crew of the ship was all that was required for admission to theaters or transportation on the railroad. A reception was given by the American Consul and open house was declared on the V-1, so that the public could visit the ship.

A baseball game by two teams from the ship proved to be the star attraction for the people of the British possession, although it was interrupted by rain. The privileges of the large clubs in Georgetown were extended to the officers of the ship. It is estimated that the V-1 will have sailed 14,000 miles before she has completed the trip. It will be a real test of her seaworthiness and sailing radius.

APPROVE NEW O. D. SHIRT

THE War Department has approved a new type of flannel shirt, specifications and samples for which were submitted by the Quartermaster General. This new type of shirt contains many points tending to improve its appearance, the principal ones being its coat style, the front plait has been reduced in width from 2 inches to 1 1/4 inches and extends to the bottom of the shirt. The number of buttons in the front has been increased to five. The collar is a standing rolling one and is provided with two buttons at the front. The cuffs have been changed from 3 inches to 3 1/4 inches, with the corners rounded and finished with two buttons. The elbow patch has been eliminated. It may be either made of 12-ounce serge or O.D. shirting flannel. The cost, if made at the Philadelphia Quartermaster Intermediate Depot of serge is \$7.82, and of flannel \$3.88.

Q. M. CONTRACTS AWARDED

THE Philadelphia Quartermaster Intermediate Depot has awarded contracts for 4,000 trunk lockers, deliveries to be completed in three months; 39,000 yards cloth, worsted warp, wool filling, O.D., 17.5 to 18.5 ounces; deliveries, 10,000 yards monthly until completion; 100,000 hats, Service O.D., Enlisted Men, deliveries to be completed by June 30, 1925; chinaware, deliveries to be completed by June 30, 1925.

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Maj. Lee S. Tillotson is assigned to the 1st Div., 2d Corps Area, effective upon his return from foreign service. (April 17.)

First Lt. Russel P. Reynolds is detailed at the University of Pennsylvania, to take effect upon completion of his tour of foreign service. (April 17.)

Capt. John J. Albright is detailed at De Pauw University, Greencastle, Ind., effective upon return from foreign service. (April 17.)

First Lt. Leon L. Kotzuebem, 65th Inf., is relieved from duty at San Juan, P. R., and assigned to the Tanks, Camp Meade, Md. (April 17.)

Maj. Clifford J. Mathews is assigned as student in the advanced class, Ft. Benning, Ga., reporting September 11. (April 17.)

First Lt. Arthur C. Blain is detailed at Emory University, Ga., effective upon his return from foreign service. (April 17.)

Capt. Robert A. McClure is relieved from attachment to 2d Div., and duty with the 3d Battalion, 20th Inf., Ft. Sill, Okla., and will report to Cav. School, Ft. Riley, Kans., as student, trooper's class, September 14. (April 18.)

Capt. Clinton Rush is relieved from Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., and detailed as instructor, Illinois National Guard, Chicago. (April 18.)

Lt. Col. Paul C. Galleher is relieved from 29th Inf., June 16, and will report to the president of the Inf. Board for duty. (April 18.)

Maj. Paul W. Newgarden, inspector general (Inf.), is relieved from detail in the Dept., effective August 19. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of Infantry is relieved from duty with the National Guard and will proceed to Ft. Benning, Ga., as students, the Infantry School: Capt. Adelbert B. Stewart, Delphin E. Thebaud, Eli W. Bonney, Druid E. Wheeler and 1st Lt. Robert L. Bacon. (April 18.)

Capt. Howard W. Angus is relieved from Military Intelligence Div., and will report to the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, September 18. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of Inf. of Ft. Benning, Ga., will report to the Inf. School, as student, advanced class: Maj. Charles K. Nulson, d'Alary Fechet, Edward O. Power, Capt. Thomas L. Martin. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers will report to the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student advanced class: Maj. Calvin P. Titus, Oliver S. Wood, Louis A. Fallinger, Capt. Richard C. Birmingham. (April 18.)

Maj. Clyde R. Abraham is relieved with the staff, the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., and will report as student, advanced class, September 11. (April 18.)

Maj. Charles F. Caffery, 4th Corps Area, will report to the Inf. School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, advanced class, September 11. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of Inf. will report to the Tank School, as student, Camp Meade, Md., September 15: 1st Lts. Truman C. Thorson, David M. N. Ross, Andrew D. Hopping, Roy M. Thoroughman, Herbert E. Willis, Milton A. Hill. (April 18.)

Capt. James L. Dikes is relieved from overseas, discharge and replacement depot, Ft. McDowell, Calif., and is assigned to the 25th Inf., Nogales, Ariz. (April 18.)

Maj. Stephen J. Chamberlin is relieved from Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, is then detailed as instructor, Virginia National Guard, Winchester, Va. (April 18.)

Each of the following-named officers of the Infantry will report about September 18 to the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., as student, 1925-6:

Capt. William E. Lucas, Jr., Stuart R. Carswell, Arthur J. McChrystal, Henry T. W. Swindler, Fred W. Miller, Barrett D. Lambert, Walter R. Graham, Elmer W. Wallender, Harold K. Coulter, Nicholas S. Sillagay, Francis S. B. Cauhern, William B. Wilson, Carroll L. Ellis, Wendell L. Clemenson, Frederick S. Doll, Don C. Faith, Leon F. Sullivan, James E. Wharton, Charles H. Hagestein, Lewis A. Page, Kearie L. Berry, Hamilton Johnston, Reginald R. Bacon, Harvey A. Tonnesen, Frank R. Shucker, Martin S. Chester, Forrest E. Ambrose, Thomas E. Campbell, Stephen G. Henry, Chambord H. St. Germain, John H. Lucas, Will H. Evans, Louis J. Lampke, Jacob E. Uhrig, John J. Murphy, Wilbur J. Fox, Herbert W. Garrison, Charley Muller.

First Lts. Sterling C. Robertson, Robert J. Kirk, Jr., William R. Watson, Harvey J. Silvestone, Hugh C. Parker, Maurice Rose.

Each of the following-named officers of Infantry will proceed at the proper time to Ft. Benning, Ga., and report September 18, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as student, company officers' class, 1925-1926:

Capt. Sevier R. Tupper, Ray B. Conner, Bernard B. McMahon, Melvin E. Gilette, Joseph A. St. Louis, Edmund J. Lilly, Jr., Thomas G. Cherry, Rufus A. Byers.

Each of the following-named officers of Infantry will proceed at the proper time to Ft. Benning, Ga., and report September 11, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as student, advanced class, 1925-1926:

Lt. Col. John J. Miller, Maj. Robert M. Lyon, George G. Bartlett, Martin C. Shallenberger, Clifford Bluemel, Ralph E. Jones, Allan S. Boyd, Jr., William D. Faulkner, Chapman Grant, Charles A. Stokes, Roscoe B. Woodruff, Benjamin G. Ferris, Donald Henley; Capts. Benjamin W. Mills, George J. Newgarden, Jr. Each of the following-named officers of Infantry will proceed to Fort Benning, Ga., and

report September 11, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as student, advanced class, 1925-1926:

Lt. Col. John H. Neff, Maj. Francis H. Burr, James A. McGrath, Frank A. Sloan, Andrew G. Gardner, Frank T. McCabe, Estil V. Smith, Benjamin S. Stocker, Howard Donnelly.

The following-named officers of Infantry will proceed to Ft. Benning, Ga., and report not earlier than September 5 nor later than September 11, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as student, advanced class, 1925-1926:

Lt. Cols. Charles H. Morrow, La Vergne L. Gregg; Maj. Hans O. Olson, Durward S. Wilson, Arthur C. Evans.

Each of the following-named officers of Infantry will proceed at the proper time to Ft. Benning, Ga., and report in person September 18, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School for duty as student, company officers' course, 1925-1926:

Capt. Walter F. Adams, Jewett C. Baker, Hiram G. Fry, James K. Campbell, Francis A. Woolsey, Roy Sparks, Theodore Bundy, Everett E. Brown, Hamilton Thorn, James E. Cole, Jr., Einar W. Chester, Gaillard Pinckney, Ray W. Harris, Leo J. Farrell, Edward N. Fay, Samuel L. Dunlop, Frank T. Addington, Arthur R. Whitner, Arthur S. Champeny, James R. Kennedy, Charles M. Walton, William A. Murphy.

First Lts. Marion W. Marsh, George H. Passmore, Floyd Marshall, Samuel C. Payne.

Each of the following-named officers of Infantry will proceed at the proper time to Ft. Benning, Ga., and report September 18, 1925, to the commandant the Infantry School, for duty as student company officers' course, 1925-1926:

Capt. Adelbert B. Stewart, Delphin E. Thebaud, Eli W. Bonney, Druid E. Wheeler.

AIR SERVICE

MAJ. GEN. M. M. PATRICK, C. OF A. S.

Lt. Col. John H. Howard is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will then proceed to Baltimore, Md., reporting to 3d Corps Area headquarters, for duty with Air Service. (April 17.)

Maj. Leslie McDill is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will proceed to McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, for duty. (April 17.)

Maj. Lawrence W. McIntosh is relieved from the Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, and will report to the commanding general, Ft. Leavenworth, for duty with the Air Service detachment for two months and 15 days. Upon completion of this duty he will report to the Chief of Air Service for duty in his office. (April 17.)

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. C. MCK. SALTZMAN, C. S. O.

Maj. Harry C. Ingles, Camp Alfred Vail, N. J., will proceed to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 17.)

Second Lt. Lawrence W. Adams, Camp Alfred Vail, N. J., will proceed to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 18.)

MEDICAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. M. W. IRELAND, S. G.

Capt. Jarrett M. Huddleston, now under treatment at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., is relieved from Bolling Field, D. C., and assigned to Ft. Benning, Ga. (April 16.)

Maj. Louis H. Hanson is relieved from duty at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, and is detailed at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. He will report for duty about May 15. (April 15.)

Maj. Thomas L. Ferrenbaugh is relieved from Western Reserve University and assigned to Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, effective July 1. (April 16.)

Capt. Ernest J. Steves will be assigned to Ft. Sam Houston, station hospital, upon return from foreign service. (April 18.)

LEAVES

Three months, effective about May 15, granted Col. James H. Frier, Inf. Three months, effective about June 1, granted Maj. Malcolm Elliott, Engr. Two months and 15 days, effective about July 1, granted Capt. Orlen N. Thompson, 24th Inf. Two months, effective June 15, granted 2d Lt. Francis X. Mulvihill, Inf. Twenty days, effective about June 10, granted Maj. Edward G. Huber, Med. Corps. The leave granted Capt. William C. DeWare is extended two months and four days.

Two months and 15 days, effective about May 28, granted Capt. Lawrence J. I. Barrett, Inf. One month and 15 days, effective about April 16, granted 2d Lt. James A. Whetstone, Jr., Cav. Three months is granted Lt. Col. Willis P. Ennis, G. S., upon arrival in the U. S. Three months, effective upon arrival in the U. S., is granted Maj. Harry W. Stovall, C. A. Corps. One month, effective about April 16, granted Lt. Col. Ralph S. Porter, G. S. (April 16.)

Two months, effective upon relief from present duties, granted 1st Lt. Ralph B. Watkins, Inf. Two months, effective about June 30, granted 1st Lt. Mark H. Doty, Inf. Two months, granted 1st Lt. Albert E. Rothermoch, Inf., about June 30. Three months, granted Capt. Clark K. Fales, 65th Inf., effective about June 30. Twenty-four days, granted Maj. Harold E. Small, C. A. Corps, effective about August 22.

One month, granted 1st Lt. Edward E. Hildreth, A. S., effective upon arrival in the U. S. Two months, granted 1st Lt. Harrison H. D. Heilberg, Cav., effective about June 6. Two months granted Maj. Charles G. Sinclair, Med. Corps. One month, granted Col. William E. Welsh, G. S., effective about April 18. Three months, granted Col. Alexander N. Stark, Med.

Corps. Two months and 5 days, granted Capt. Henry O. Swindler, Inf., effective about May 5.

Fifteen days, granted Capt. William H. Houston, Vet. Corps., effective about May 1. (April 17.)

One month and 12 days, granted 1st Lt. James B. Cullen, Jr., 7th Engr., effective June 21, with permission to leave the U. S. One month and 20 days, granted Maj. Charles A. French, C. A., effective upon completion of course of instruction. One month and 14 days, granted 1st Lt. Julian B. Haddon, A. S.

ORGANIZED RESERVES

Maj. Archie McCallister, Med-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective April 30, and will report to Mitchel Field, L. I., to the commandant, School of Aviation Medicine, for a 6-weeks' course of instruction. He will rank from April 30. (April 16.)

Second Lt. Jerry Rak, QM-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective April 27. He will report to the Chicago Q.M. intermediate depot for training and will rank from April 27, reverting to inactive May 11. (April 16.)

The promotion of 2d Lt. George Leroy Murray, AS-Res, to date from April 16, is announced. (April 16.)

Capt. Emory J. Close, Eng-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective June 1, reporting to the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-2 for training at Washington, D. C. He will rank from June 1, and revert to inactive status, June 15. (April 17.)

First Lt. Herman A. Vogler, Sanitary Corps Res, is ordered to active duty, effective June 14. He will report to the Surgeon General, Washington, D. C., for training, and return to inactive status June 28. (April 17.)

Lt. Col. Charles J. Pilling, SC-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective June 7, reporting to the Surgeon General for training. He will return to inactive status, June 21. (April 17.)

Lt. Col. Alfred Littauer, SC-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective May 3, reporting to the Surgeon General for training, Washington, D. C. He will be relieved from duty May 17. (April 17.)

Maj. Horace W. Bigelow, SC-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective May 16, reporting to the Surgeon General, Washington, D. C., for training. He will be relieved from duty May 30. (April 17.)

Second Lt. Anthony L. Merrell, AS-Res, is ordered to active duty, effective May 4, reporting to the Chief of Air Service, Washington, D. C., for training. He will rank from May 4, and revert to inactive status, May 18. (April 17.)

Maj. Morris R. Smith, AS-Res, is ordered to active duty, April 28, reporting to Scott Field, Ill., for training. He will rank from April 28 and revert to inactive duty May 28. (April 18.)

LATE ARMY ORDERS

S.O. 93, W.D. April 20, 1925

General Staff: Col. R. E. Engram to 1st Div., effective June 20.

Adjutant General's Department: Maj. T. H. Lowe, to the Adjutant General, Washington, for duty in office, effective August 15, 1925.

Quartermaster Corps: Lt. Col. C. E. Reese, to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., for observation and treatment; 1st Lt. G. E. Lamb, promoted to Capt., with rank from April 5; Master Sgt. E. Skinner, placed on retired list at Baltimore, Md.; Capt. L. A. Bowland and 1st Lt. M. C. Pratt to Co. A, 4th Motor Repair Battalion Camp Holabird, effective June 15, 1925; 1st Lt. J. R. Hubbard to Quartermaster Intermediate Depot Camp Holabird, effective June 15; Capt. M. S. Snodgrass, Jr., H. J. Hunker, 1st Lts. G. F. Chapman and R. L. Miller to commanding officer 1st Motor Repair Battalion, Camp Holabird for duty as assistants; Maj. C. D. Drake to San Francisco, Calif., and sail September 3 for the Philippines. Following board to meet at Ft. Snelling, Minn., to examine applicants for commission in Veterinary Corps; Capts. R. C. Wolfe, M. C.; H. M. Savage, Veterinary Corps, and G. W. Fitzgerald, Veterinary Corps.

Finance Department: Maj. F. W. Browne to 3d Corps Area, Baltimore, Md., effective on completing course of instruction.

Corps of Engineers: 2d Lt. F. R. Johnson detailed as student at Oxford University, England, for two years, commencing October 1, 1925; 1st Lt. R. Lee to proper station, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Ordnance Department: Maj. P. G. Blackmore to Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., effective June 30; Capt. C. A. Watkins, as executive officer, 354th, 363rd, 384th, 410th, 415th, 504th, 530th, 541st, 604th, 622th, 637th, 804th, 824th and 902d Ordnance Companies, Organized Reserves, with station at Atlanta.

Signal Corps: 1st Lt. J. M. Heath to commanding officer, Camp Alfred Vail, for duty, effective on completing temporary duty.

Chemical Warfare Service: Maj. A. Gibson to San Francisco, Calif., and sail September 3 for the Philippines. Name removed from D.O.L. Maj. O. R. Meredith, to Chief, Chemical Warfare Service, Washington, D. C., for temporary duty, effective on completing course of instruction.

Cavalry: Col. A. E. Williams to duty as executive officer, 399th Field Art., Organized Reserves, with station at Atlanta, Ga.; 2d Lt. H. Marcus to Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for observation and treatment; 1st Lt. C. H. Espy to 10th Cavalry, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., effective June 20. Name removed from D.O.L.; Capt. H. J. Fitzgerald, to 14th Cav., and will proceed to Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, for duty with regiment to which assigned. Name removed from D.O.L.; 2d Lt. W. W. McMillan, to 14th Cav., effective June 20. Name removed from D.O.L.; Maj. H. Kobbe to 1st Cav., Div., effective June 14; 1st Lt. H. H. D. Heilberg to 1st Cav. Div., effective June 6. Name removed from D.O.L.

Field Artillery: Capt. G. P. Winton, to 83d F.A., effective on completing course of instruction, and will proceed to Ft. Benning, Ga.; Maj. J. A. Gillespie, to student at Command and General Staff School for 1925-1926 course, effective on completing course of instruction. Transfer of 1st Lt. W. O. Reeder on April 11, with rank as prescribed by Act of June 30, 1922.

Coast Artillery Corps: 2d Lts. J. G. Renno and L. A. Denison, Jr., promoted to 1st Lts., with rank from April 2, 1925; 1st Lt. B. C. Dailey to 14th Coast Art., Ft. Worden, Washington, effective on completing course of instruction.

Infantry: Capt. W. A. Rawls, Jr., to University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla., effective on relief from present duties; 1st Lt. S. L. Mc-

calf, to Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., effective September 1, 1925. Staff Sgt. E. E. Jenkins placed on retired list at Camp Stephen D. Little, Ariz.; Col. J. H. Hughes, effective August 1, assigned to 1st Div.; Col. F. F. Munson to 2d Div., effective September 14; 1st Lt. W. Waite promoted to Capt., with rank from March 28; Maj. G. R. Cook to Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., effective on completing course of instruction. Capt. T. A. Baumer to 2d Inf., Ft. Sheridan, Ill.; 1st Lts. C. G. Lissney, to 17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Nebr.; H. M. Wilson, Jr., to 6th Inf., Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; J. J. Gahan to Tanks, Camp Meade, Md.; J. A. Stuart to 1st Div., effective on completing course of instruction; R. W. Odor and C. A. Frank to 2d Div., for assignment to duty, effective on completing course of instruction; Maj. H. B. Keen to Ft. Benning, Ga., September 11, as student, 1925-1926; Capt. E. W. Ely to instructor, Oregon National Guard, effective on completing course of instruction.

Air Service: Resignation by 1st Lt. C. N. Monteith effective May 15, accepted; Capt. O. H. Quinn to Chief of Air Service, Washington, D. C., for duty in office; 2d Lt. E. Kelly, to San Francisco, Calif., and sail June 16, for Hawaii for duty with the Infantry.

Leaves: Two months and 10 days to Maj. D. G. Richard, effective June 15; two months and 10 days to 1st Lt. C. G. Jadhav, effective July 1; three months to Capt. J. H. Grant, effective May 4; two months to Maj. R. H. Fenn, effective June 28; one month, 14 days to Capt. A. J. Wehr, effective June 15.

Master Sgt. C. A. Day placed on retired list at Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo.

Maj. G. L. Barton to active duty, effective May 3; Maj. H. L. Jennings, C. of E., Res, to active duty, effective May 3. With rank from April 28; Capt. L. L. G. M. Q.M.C., Res, to active duty, effective May 4. Maj. P. H. Kimball, Q.M.C., Res, to active duty, effective May 1. Maj. T. E. Cathro, U.S.A., retired, to Indianapolis High Schools, Indianapolis, Ind., effective June 15.

Philippine Scouts: Capt. A. Q. Ver, to Maj. with rank from April 4.

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Brig. Gen. T. Q. Donaldson, U.S.A., detailed as member of court of inquiry to meet at Philippine Dept., Vice Brig. Gen. C. King, hereby relieved.

Quartermaster Corps: 1st Lts. J. M. Rooks, to 2d Division, effective June 1; L. C. Webster, to Quartermaster Corps Subsistence School, Chicago, Ill., for duty as instructor, effective June 1; E. A. Reynolds to commanding officer, Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, Chicago, Ill., for duty as assistant, effective June 1; Maj. J. T. Harris, to Quartermaster Corps School, Philadelphia, Pa., effective not later than September 10; Capt. L. O. Grice to Ft. Omaha, Nebr., for duty as quartermaster, effective June 1; Capt. J. M. Rhodes to Washington General Intermediate Depot as assistant to the Quartermaster Supply Officer, effective June 1. Resignation of 1st Lt. H. E. Hanna accepted; 2d Lt. F. F. Taylor, Jr., to Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., for duty as assistant to Quartermaster.

Medical Department: Maj. V. E. Miltenberger to Ft. MacArthur, Calif., effective July 20. Name removed from D.O.L.; Maj. C. J. Gentzkow, to commanding general 8th Corps Area for duty in Corps Area Laboratory; resignation by Capt. J. C. Kirkwood, effective May 12, accepted. Maj. A. S. Dabney to San Francisco, Calif., and sail September 3 for the Philippines. Following board to meet at Ft. Snelling, Minn., to examine applicants for commission in Veterinary Corps; Capts. R. C. Wolfe, M. C.; H. M. Savage, Veterinary Corps, and G. W. Fitzgerald, Veterinary Corps.

Finance Department: Maj. F. W. Browne to 3d Corps Area, Baltimore, Md., effective on completing course of instruction.

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Signal Corps: 1st Lt. J. M. Heath to commanding officer, Camp Alfred Vail, for duty, effective on completing temporary duty.

Chemical Warfare Service: Maj. A. Gibson to San Francisco, Calif., and sail September 3 for the Philippines. Name removed from D.O.L. Maj. O. R. Meredith, to Chief, Chemical Warfare Service, Washington, D. C., for temporary duty, effective on completing course of instruction.

Cavalry: Col. A. E. Williams to duty as executive officer, 399th Field Art., Organized Reserves, with station at Atlanta, Ga.; 2d Lt

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Following to Fort Sill, Okla., as student advanced course, 1925-26, effective not later than September 10: Lt. Cols. F. C. Doyle, G. R. Greene, and Maj. J. J. Waterman. Names removed from D.O.L.

Coast Artillery Corps: Lt. Col. D. Watson as Executive Officer, 434th F.A., Organized Reserves, with station at Atlanta; Maj. L. L. Pendleton to duty as Executive Officer, 507th Artillery Antiaircraft, Organized Reserves, with station at Des Moines, Iowa. Maj. F. A. Price as instructor New York N.G., effective on completing course of instruction.

Infantry: 2d Lt. E. S. Gruber to Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Mass., effective June 15, for duty as student officer; 2d Lt. J. E. B. McInerney to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., effective June 15, for duty as student officer; Maj. R. T. Taylor to Emory University, Ga., effective on completing school year; 1st Lt. K. W. Thom to 3d Div., name removed from D.O.L.; Maj. D. M. Cheston, Jr., at Los Angeles High Schools, Calif., name placed on D.O.L.; Capt. H. L. Bennett, Jr., to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., effective June 15, for observation; Capt. P. M. Ellis to 29th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga., effective September 1, name removed from D.O.L.; 1st Lt. N. D. Franklin to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., for observation and treatment; 1st Lt. L. R. Wolfe, to Letterman General Hospital, for observation and treatment, effective at close of training season; 1st Lt. F. L. McCoy to Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for observation and treatment; Capt. L. R. Boyd to 29th Inf., effective on completing course of instruction; Maj. M. Crawford, Jr., to duty with Organized Reserves of Fourth Corps Area, with station at Memphis, Tenn., effective on completing course of instruction; Lt. Col. A. M. Hall to 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., name removed from D.O.L.; Capt. R. H. Evans as instructor, Maryland N.G., station at Baltimore, effective on completing tour of foreign service.

Col. L. D. Miller, C. of E., Reserves, to active duty, effective May 1, at Washington, D. C.; Maj. R. F. Conlisk, S.C., Reserve, to active duty, effective May 10, reporting to Ft. Mason, Calif., for training; Maj. R. J. Venning, Capt. W. Jacobs, and 1st Lt. B. O. Burlingame of S.C., Reserve, to active duty, effective May 4, reporting at Signal Corps Procurement District of Chicago, for training; Capt. P. L. Rittenhouse and 2d Lt. Schrage of S.C., Reserve, to active duty at Signal Corps Procurement District of Chicago, effective May 4; Lt. Col. J. R. Oliver and Maj. J. A. Balsley of M.C. Reserve to active duty, effective June 16, at Camp Lewis, Wash., for training; Capt. G. S. Savage, Inf. Reserve, to active duty, effective June 16, reporting to Camp Lewis, Wash., for training; Capt. J. Praneuf, Med. Administrative Corps Reserve, to active duty, effective June 16, reporting to Camp Lewis, Wash., for training, with rank from May 19, 1924; Capt. E. V. N. Guyther, Q.M.C. Reserve, to active duty, effective April 27, reporting at Washington, D. C., for training; Maj. J. W. Peyton, U.S.A., rtd., on detail as professor of military science and tactics at Santa Barbara High School.

The following enlisted men will be placed on retired list at station indicated: Staff Sgt. C. A. Genther, at Ft. Totten, N. Y.; Master Sgt. J. Donovan, at Ft. Eustis, Va.; 1st Sgt. A. N. Parrigan, at Ft. Douglas, Utah.

PROTESTS SHIPPING TRANSFER

GOVERNOR GENERAL WOOD has cabled the War Department that all chambers of commerce and many leading firms in the Philippines are strongly opposed to anything being done which would establish an alleged monopoly of shipping between the Philippine Islands and the United States, and that they have filed strong protests against the transfer to the Dollar Line of certain Shipping Board boats now operated by the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. General Wood added that it was his own opinion that establishment of a monopoly controlling shipping between Pacific ports and the Philippine Islands would be most unfortunate for the interests of the Philippine Islands.

R-33 SPURS RECRUITING

THE runaway R-33, after a wild, unscheduled cruise over the North Sea, is safely back to its mooring mast in London. When the ship broke loose, Sergeant Hunt was on the mooring mast high above the ground. He leaped, and landed aboard the ship. Five of the crew had to sit in the tail of the ship in order to balance the weight of the large mooring wheels, which were carried away when the R-33 broke loose.

As a result of the public enthusiasm aroused by this feat, a great aerial demonstration was held above London on April 18 in a campaign to recruit men for the territorial air service.

MILITARY NEWS

THE Charlotte Observer is including in its "Progress and Prosperity Edition," which will be published on May 18, 1925, an article devoted to the military activities in the State of North Carolina. This article will cover the activities of the Regular Army, National Guard, Organized Reserves, R.O.T.C., C.M.T.C., and will explain our national military policy in detail. The article has been very carefully prepared by Lt. F. H. Kohlross, C.E., U.S.A.

MILITARY CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

MILITARY ORDER WORLD WAR

The New York Chapter of the Military Order of the World War held its annual meeting in the armory of the 71st Infantry, N.Y.N.G., on April 16, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Commander, Brig. Gen. Palmer E. Pierce; senior vice-commander, Lt. Comdr. Wells Hawks; junior vice-commander, Maj. Philip Mathews; treasurer, Maj. Chandler Smith; judge advocate, Lt. Col. Royal E. T. Riggs; surgeon, Maj. Walter S. Mills; chaplain, Rev. William A. Nichols; historian, Lt. Col. William A. Heckard.

Members of staff, class of 1926, Comdr. William Seaman Bainbridge and Lt. Col. M. J. Farrell.

Members of staff, class of 1927, Col. Gustave Porges and Maj. A. W. Proctor.

Members of staff, class of 1928, Col. Frederick L. Devereux, Lt. Col. Robert McC. Marsh, Lt. Col. Benjamin Castle and Maj. Theodorus Bailey. Advisory staff, to serve one year, Maj. Gen. Edgar Russell, Maj. Gen. W. C. Langfitt, Brig. Gen. Avery D. Andrews, Brig. Gen. John M. Carson, and Brig. Gen. Cornelius Vanderbilt. Comdr. Prentiss P. Bassett, Brig. Gen. John J. Bradley will be members of this staff.

SOJOURNERS' CLUB

The seventeenth regular meeting of the Sojourners' Club, New York Chapter, No. 18, was held on Tuesday evening, April 14, at the Officers' Club, Brooklyn, N. Y. From every standpoint it was the most successful meeting held to date.

It was announced that Lieutenant Watson, U.S.N., was transferred to Philadelphia Chapter, and resolutions of sympathy were adopted concerning the death of Capt. Oscar W. Nettles (MC), U.S.A. The usual Masonic tribute was paid to the memory of this departed brother.

Applications were received from 70 officers, which brought the total membership of the club to 687. Among the new members was the name of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, ex-U.S.A., who was transferred from Washington Chapter, No. 3.

Captain Blackwood, U.S.N., president, introduced the speakers. Maj. G. S. P. Kleeburg, Res., master of True Craftsmen's Lodge, spoke on the "High Spots of Masonic Ritual." W.O.R. Bro. Samuel Eckman, master of Pacific Lodge, advocated a return to operative Masonry, such as the Shrine Hospitals for Crippled Children, the Grotto Convalescent Homes, and like Masonic activities. Maj. S. L. Rothafel, U.S.M.C., "Roxy," told of his entry into the radio movement which he headed and which put radio equipment in every veterans' hospital in the United States. "Roxy" then introduced the members of his "Gang" who were present, Max Hershberg being at the piano, Margaret McKee (Micky) whistling several selections in her wonderful style, Sigurd Nelson, "The Viking," sang several selections, including "The Invictus," and Lt. Gitz Rice sang his own selections, "Keep Your Head Down Fritzie Boy," "Dear Old Pal," and gave an original opera Bouffe.

Announcement was made of the testimonial banquet to be given in honor of "Roxy" at the Biltmore Hotel on May 9, the speakers on that occasion being Major General Fries, U.S.A.; Rear Adm. C. P. Plunkett, U.S.N.; and Major General Lejeune, U.S.M.C. The banquet will take place at 7 p. m., the speaking to be broadcasted over WEAF and other stations at 9 p. m., a presentation to "Roxy" at 10 p. m., followed by a special program by "Roxy's" entire "Gang" with an orchestra of 40 pieces and under the direction of Dr. Billy Axt. George Olsen's Ziegfeld Follies' Band will provide the dance music. Tickets are being reserved for Sojourners and their ladies until April 20, at which time guests of Sojourners may be accommodated.

Capt. N. J. Blackwood, M.C., U.S.N., Commanding Officer of the Naval Hospital, New York, is President of the New York Sojourners. Lt. R. E. Bassler, U.S.N., Secretary. Gen. A. A. Fries, C.W.S., U.S.A., is President of the National Sojourners. Maj. Gen. J. G. Harbord, U.S.A., Rtd., is Chairman of the Board of Governors and Rear Adm. C. P. Plunkett, U.S.N., Commandant 3d Naval District, is chairman of the Board of Trustees of the New York Chapter. Trustees of the National Sojourners include Gen. John J. Pershing, U.S.A., Rtd., Adm. R. E. Coontz, U.S.N., Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, U.S.M.C., Maj. Gen. Merritt W. Ireland, M.C., Surgeon General U.S.A., Rear Adm. Cary T. Grayson, M.C., U.S.N., Maj. Gen. George C. Rickards, U.S.A., Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, U.S.A., and Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

Capt. William E. Moore, Dent-Res; 2d Lt. Dewey G. Stone, Sig-Res; Capt. Douglas R. Hobart, QM-Res; William A. Wigg, Inf-Res; Stanley L. Plaice, MA-Res; Charles R. Goddard, Eng-Res; R. E. Foss, Inf-Res; Clifford T. Abbe, QM-Res; Everett L. Upson, Inf., D.O.L.; Herman Brody, Dent-Res; 2d Lts. Earle Lancaster, F.A.; Raymond G. Seaman, F.A.; Donald L. Campbell, Q.M.C.; Manly M. Guelph, F.A.; Charles Van Peterselge, Q.M.C.; Lt. Col. John F. Streeter, Med-Res; Capt. Harold F. Budington, Med-Res; Col. Roy D. Jones, QM-Res; Maj. A. Linton Bausman, Ord-Res.

On April 8 charter was granted to the Springfield, Mass., Chapter of the Sojourners' Club, No. 31, by the national secretary, Capt. Geo. F. Unmacht. Petition for a charter was signed by the following:

All interested should communicate with Capt. Stanley L. Plaice, MA-Res, Acting Secretary, 404 Dwight Street, Springfield, Mass.

On April 14 charter was granted to the Peoria Chapter of the Sojourners Club, No. 32, by the national secretary, Capt. George F. Unmacht. Petition for charter was signed by the following:

Lt. Col. G. M. Miles, Inf-Res; Maj. Clarence E. Smith, Inf-Res; George F. Stacey, Med-Res; Jeremiah McQuade, Inf-Res; 2d Lt. John S. Hammes, A.S.; Capt. Harold Scheidzki, JA-Res; 2d Lt. Paul Johnson, AS-Res; 1st Lt. Leon

C. Ives, Med-Res; John M. Traeger; C. E. Cuyler.

All interested should communicate with Lt. L. C. Ives, Med-Res, acting secretary, 400 Peoria Life Building, Peoria, Ill.

HEROES OF '76

A meeting of the Valley Forge Camp No. 16, Heroes of '76, Philadelphia, was held in the 1st Regiment Armory, Broad and Callowhill Streets, Philadelphia, on March 25. A Chaplain and three Past Masters were intrusted with the secrets of the order. The ceremonies were held in the swimming pool.

The following are the officers of Valley Forge Camp No. 16:

Commander, Comdr. J. D. Robnett; Chief of Staff, Lt. Col. Chas. C. Allen; Adjutant, Capt. D. E. Campbell; Lieutenants, Col. F. T. Pusey and Lt. Comdr. A. H. Allen; Sergeant, Comdr. R. K. Wright; Inspector, Lt. Comdr. R. S. Wentworth; Judge Advocate, Col. Chas. H. Hill; Quartermasters, Capt. O. H. Petty and L. C. Baird; Surgeon, Capt. B. Meredith McIntyre; Ordnance Officer, Col. O. C. Horney; Chemical Warfare Officer, Lt. Col. G. B. Zane; Cavalry Officer, Maj. D. Webster Anders; Commissary, Maj. Frank Mueller; Asst. Commissary, Lt. Miles R. Finley; Paymaster, Lt. Comdr. Charles F. Parsons; Artillery Officer, Maj. Wm. Pegram Wilson.

Transportation Officers, Cols. W. H. Point and H. S. Williams; Asst. Transportation Officers, Lt. Col. Wm. H. Zierdt, Maj. Otto R. Heiligman, Wm. O. Muench and J. Q. MacDonald; Historian, Capt. Lewis C. Baird; Chaplains, Capt. C. H. Dickins, Chas. B. Bell and Frederick Poole; Mechanic, 1st Lt. Stanley L. Bateman; Director of Music, Capt. Geo. W. Carr; Summary Court Officers, Cols. C. P. Franklin, Jos. K. Nicholls, Maj. L. W. Colfelt, Lt. John S. Morrison and Capt. John H. Fay; Officer of the Day, Col. J. Campbell Gilmore; Senior Officer of the Guard, Col. T. B. Ellis; Junior Officer of the Guard, Maj. Frank Brezina; Sergeant of the Guard, Lt. J. L. Manasses; Corporal of the Guard, Capt. Leonard S. Doten; Members of the Guard, Capts. H. R. Drew, C. E. Goodwyn, F. E. Hagen, P. C. Kirkbride, Lt. Jas. F. McCarthy and Capt. E. M. Scott; Color Guard, Capts. Geo. W. Phillips and Enrique Garcia.

Color Bearers, 1st Lt. Geo. D. Bragdon and 2d Lt. A. S. Townsend; Field Aides, Rear Adm. Reynold T. Hall, Col. Philip W. Huntington and Maj. Clarence W. Way; Ways and Means Committee, Col. O. C. Horney, Chairman, Adm. Reynold T. Hall, Cols. Chas. H. Hill and Philip W. Huntington, Maj. Otto R. Heiligman, Col. Will H. Point, Comdr. A. H. Allen, Maj. D. Webster Anders, Capts. B. Meredith McIntyre, John H. Fay and Geo. W. Phillips, Comdr. John D. Robnett (ex officio), Col. Chas. C. Allen (ex officio) and Capt. Daniel C. Campbell (ex officio).

A committee recently appointed by the Commander, reported a list of prominent Masonic Patriots of Revolutionary and Past Revolutionary Days, arranged in chronological order as to their birthdays. The idea being to have a short address at each monthly meeting on the Patriot whose birthday comes in that month.

L.L. OF U. S.

The forty-first annual meeting of the Michigan Commander, Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, will take place in their rooms, G.A.R. Memorial Hall, on May 7, at 8 p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and transaction of other business.

The following members have been nominated as officers of the Legion:

Henry B. Landon, for commander; G. B. Canfield, for senior vice-commander; Robert L. Messimer, for junior vice-commander; Charles A. Coolidge, for recorder; Arthur S. Hampton, for registrar; C. F. Heyerman, for chancellor; H. D. Jenks, for treasurer; Francis M. Sessions, for chaplain; G. C. Wetherbee, H. S. Starkey, W. W. Manton, F. R. McCreery, Herbert W. Landon and P. S. Dickinson, for member of the council.

The council will meet in the recorder's office at 2:30 p. m. The annual banquet will be held at the Detroit Athletic Club at 6:30 p. m., when prominent speakers will address the assembly. Maj. Gen. H. H. Bandholtz, U.S.A., Ret., will deliver the principal address.

The resignation of M. G. Baily was accepted by the commandery on February 5, 1925, to date as from December 31, 1924.

U. S. FLAG ASSOCIATION

The New York State Advisory Board of the United States Flag Association held a meeting at New York City March 31, and elected the following officers: Col. Thomas Denny, Chairman; Col. Franklin W. Burnham, Secretary; Col. Charles Elliott Warren, Treasurer. Plans were formulated to get New York's 100,000 quota of the 1,000,000 members which the association hopes to obtain during a drive which will commence on April 6 and will culminate in a Flag Week to begin May 17. The meeting was called by Governor Smith, but he was unable to attend. Col. James A. Moss, U.S.A., director general of the association, explained that its object was to "promote peace-time patriotism" throughout the country by teaching respect and loyalty to the flag.

AMERICAN LEGION

The seventh annual convention of the New York department of the American Legion will be held in New York City September 10, 11, and 12. Lt. Col. L. Bolles, chairman of the convention committee, states that the gathering will be the largest in New York attended by ex-service men since the World War. Two hundred posts in New York State will be hosts. Posts in every part of New York State will send delegates, and there will be many visiting members from other States, and more than 60,000 visitors are expected.

RETIREMENT OF N. C. O.

Master Sgt. John Joseph Welch, R-1026745, Service Company, 35th Infantry, is soon to be placed on the retired list of the Army after completion of 30 years' active service with the colors.

The commanding officer takes this opportunity of congratulating Sergeant Welch on his splendid record as soldier and his well-earned retirement. Throughout his long and faithful service he has always maintained a high and lofty conception of public duty to his Government, which means self-giving. God has blessed him with those three qualities in making for success as a leader, namely, friendliness, thoroughness and honesty. In his possession he has 10 honorable discharges showing excellent character in testimony of his high standards and soldierly qualities, the example of which is worthy of emulation by all members of this command or any other military organization.

Entering the Service with Company K, 7th Illinois Volunteers, during the Spanish-American War, on June 8, 1898, Sergeant Welch served in the following organizations during his enlisted career: Co. K, 7th Illinois Volunteers, June 23, '98-October 8, '98, discharged as private; Co. D, 8th Infantry, April 1, '99-March 31, '02, discharged as sergeant; Co. L, 18th Infantry, June 30, '02-June 29, '05, discharged as sergeant; Co. L, 18th Infantry, July 7, '05-June 23, '07, discharged as sergeant; Co. L, 18th Infantry, June 24, '07-June 23, '10, discharged as sergeant; Co. I, 18th Infantry, June 24, '10-June 23, '13, discharged as sergeant; Supply Co., 35th Infantry, June 24, '13-June 26, '18, discharged as sergeant; Service Co., 35th Infantry, March 5, '19-March 6, '22, discharged as first sergeant; Service Co., 35th Infantry, March 7, '22-March 6, '25, discharged as master sergeant; Service Co., 35th Infantry, March 7, 25, to date retired as master sergeant.

During the World War he was commissioned in the Air Service from July 26, 1918, to January 17, 1919, reenlisting upon discharge to complete his service for retirement.

His record shows that he served in Alaska from July 7, 1899, to September 29, 1902. During his service in the Philippine Islands from 1907 to 1909 he participated in engagements with hostile Moros at Lolan, Mindanao, Ami Buranayas, Macauas and Dunayan.

PROMOTION STATUS

OFFICERS OF THE ARMY

Promotions and vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) since April 15, 1925.

Last promotion to the grade of Colonel—Theodore B. Taylor, Cav., No. 3 on page 144 (March Army List and Directory).

Vacancies—None.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel—Henry A. Ripley, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of Lieutenant Colonel—Frederick D. Griffith, Jr., Cav., No. 581 on page 146.

Vacancies—None.

Senior Major—Albert B. Dockery, Cav.

Last promotion to the grade of Major—Victor V. Taylor, Cav., No. 2312 on page 152 (March Army List and Directory).

Vacancies—None.

Senior Captain—Tom Fox, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of Captain—John J. Devereux, Jr., A.S., No. 7122 on page 169.

Vacancies—None.

Senior 1st Lieutenant—John A. MacLaughlin, C.W.S., No. 7142.

Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lieutenant—James A. Samoue, F.A., No. 8451 on page 174.

Vacancies—None.

Senior 2d Lieutenant—William W. Ford, F.A.

Vacancies in the grade of 2d Lieutenant—229.

JUNIOR OFFICERS, NAVY

April 23, 1925

The following junior officers have become eligible for promotion in various grades and ranks of the Navy:

Chaplains' Corps.

R. Adm. N. E. Irwin
Capt. G. J. Rowcliff
Comdr. E. H. Wilson
Lt. Comdr. S. G. Moore
Lt. E. Taylor
Lt. (j.g.) R. D. Edwards

Medical Corps.

R. Adm. Albert M. D. McCormick
Capt. J. Snyder
Cdr. E. H. H. Old
Lt. Cdr. Edw. A. Brown
Lt. Robert E. Duncan

Dental Corps.

Lt. Cdr. R. C. Green
Lt. Raymond D. Reid

Supply Corps.

R. Adm. Frank T. Arms
Capt. M. R. Goldsborough
Cdr. Wm. G. Neil
Lt. Cdr. Geo. C. Simmons
Lt. Cdr. J. Lanier
Lt. (j.g.) E. T. Stewart
Jr.

Construction Corps.

R. Adm. J. G. Tawsey
Capt. Emory S. Land
Cdr. Garland Fulton
Lt. Cdr. John I. Hale
Lt. Mason D. Harris

Civil Engineer Corps.

R. Adm. F. R. Harris
Capt. Geo. A. McKay
Cdr. Greer A. Duncan
Lt. Cdr. Paul J. Searles
Lt. E. D. Miller

MARINE CORPS

April 23, 1925
Commissioned.

Will Make number in grade indicated on next vacancy.

Col. F. E. Evans
Lt. Col. R. B. Creecy
Maj. J. A. Gray
Capt. R. H. Pepper
1st Lt. R. A. Boone

Col. C. B. Taylor
Lt. Col. F. D. Kilgore
Maj. L. B. Stephenson
Capt. J. A. Mixson
1st Lt. W. Warren Sessions

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WORLD RADIO RECORD

THE Navy has hung up another world record in radio communication. The Naval Research and Experimental Laboratory at Bellevue, D. C., reported that on the morning of April 21, between 1.10 and 2.15, two-way communication was maintained with Sydney, Australia. This was conducted on 20 meters at the Bellevue station and 21 at the Sydney station.

ORDERS FOR THE NAVY

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President
Secretary of the Navy—Curtis D. Wilbur
Assistant Secretary of the Navy—T. Douglas Robinson
Chief of Naval Operations—Admiral E. W. Eberle

Orders to Officers, April 16, 1925
No orders published.

Orders to Officers, April 17, 1925

Capt. H. L. Brinser, to command Mine Sqd. One, Flt. Base Force, and additional duty command U.S.S. Shawmut. Orders 17 Mar., 1925, to Asiatic Fleet revoked. J. W. Greenslade, to Naval War College, Newport, R. I. Comdrs. N. L. Nichols, to Naval War College, Newport, R. I. H. L. Pence, to staff, Navy War College, Newport, R. I.; orders 9 Apr., 1925, to Bureau Navigation revoked. T. A. Thompson, to command U.S.S. Doyen. R. L. Walker, to temporary duty Office Naval Intelligence. J. S. Woods, to continue treatment Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. V. J. Dixon, to navigating officer, U.S.S. New York. A. W. Dunn, to U.S.S. Texas. A. H. Gray, to U.S.S. New York. R. A. Hall, to Naval Training Station, San Diego, Calif. W. K. Kilpatrick, to command U.S.S. Hatfield. W. A. Richardson, to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. T. M. Shock, officer in charge, New Haven, Conn. T. E. Van Meter, to aide and flag secretary Comdr. Battleship Div. 2, Setg. Flt.

Lts. W. E. Andrews, to U.S.S. California. H. F. Ely, to U.S.S. S-24. C. T. S. Gladden, to receiving ship, San Francisco, Calif. J. Hill, to U.S.S. Fulton. E. B. Parsons, to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. G. Rembert (S.C.), to wait orders. P. M. Thornton, to U.S.S. New Mexico. E. J. Tierman, to U.S.S. New Mexico. Clement B. White, to Naval Training Station, N.O.B., Hampton Roads, Va. Joe S. Wier, to temporary duty, Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Lts. (j.g.) B. B. Baker, to U.S.S. New Mexico. R. S. Beckel, to command U.S.S. Owl. W. F. Boone, to temporary duty under instr. in aviation, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

B. L. Braun, to U.S.S. Arizona. O. S. Colclough, to command U.S.S. R-14. G. D. Conrad, to treatment, Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif. H. F. Cope, to command U.S.S. R-9. T. T. Craven, to U.S.S. Jason. J. F. Grube, to continue duty, U.S.S. Arizona.

Lts. (j.g.) H. F. Hale, to command U.S.S. R-16. E. W. Hampson, to command U.S.S. R-7. C. S. Isgrig, to command U.S.S. R-81. W. A. P. Martin, to continue duty U.S.S. Edsall. L. J. McGowan, to U.S.S. Burnes. H. C. Rust, to U.S.S. Rigel. F. B. Stoddert, to command U.S.S. R-5.

Ens. R. C. Bell, Jr., to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; orders 16 Mar., 1925, revoked. J. W. Buxton, resignation accepted 25 Mar., 1925. S. R. Clark, to U.S.S. J. K. Paulding. E. E. Elmore, to U.S.S. Detroit. T. E. Fraser, to temporary duty, Naval Torpedo Station, Newport, R. I. E. W. Irish, to temporary duty, Naval Torpedo Station, Newport, R. I. E. F. Jenkins, resignation accepted 15 May, 1925.

W. B. Riggsby, to continue treatment Naval Hospital, League Island, Philadelphia, Pa. N. K. Roberts, to Naval Torpedo Station, Newport, R. I. J. G. Sampson, to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. G. A. Sinclair, to temporary duty under instr. in chemical warfare, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Ens. T. C. Southerland, to Naval Torpedo Station, Newport, R. I. H. D. Wolleson, to temporary duty, Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. F. F. Murdoch (M.C.), to Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif. Lt. W. R. Lewis (M.C.), to navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.

Lt. Comdr. J. V. McAlpin (D.C.), to Naval Dispensary, Navy Department. Lts. B. Hunter (S.C.), to U.S.S. Argonne. V. H. Wheeler (S.C.), to U.S.S. Beaver. Lt. Comdr. W. P. Williams (Ch.C.), to U.S.S. Shawmut.

Ch. Machs. O. T. Miller, to continue treatment Naval Hospital, New York. J. A. Peckham, to Naval Station, Key West, Fla.

Ch. Pay Clks. J. R. Edwards, to U.S.S. Argonne. C. C. Walling, to U.S.S. Beaver.

MARINE CORPS ORDERS

Maj. Gen. J. A. Lejeune, Commandant

April 16, 1925

Lt. Col. G. Bishop, died April 10, 1925. Maj. R. B. Crecy, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; E. N. McClellan, to M.B., Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T.H.

Second Lts. F. W. Bichl, to M.B., N.T.S., Newport, R. I.; D. W. Davis, to M.B., Washington, D. C.; Mar. Gns. J. J. Dobbertin and J. W. Kirkey, retired.

April 17, 1925

No orders were announced.

April 18, 1925

Capt. W. H. Sitz, to M.D., U.S.S. Idaho; Q.M. Clks. H. H. Coverette, to Depot of Supplies, N.O.B., Hampton Roads, Va.; J. E. Hall, to 1st Brig., Haiti.

April 20, 1925

Maj. H. L. Smith, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; Capt. A. T. Lewis, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; 1st Lts. J. L. Denham, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; F. C. Myers, M.C.R., to June 4, assigned to active duty for training at the M.B., Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif., and on July 4, relieved from active duty.

Second Lts. F. D. Weir, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San

April 21, 1925

First Lt. G. Esau, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.

Q.M. Clk. H. S. Young, to M.B., N.O.B., Hampton Roads, Va.

The following officers were promoted on the 18th instant, to take rank from the dates indicated: Maj. R. B. Crecy, promoted to Lt. Col. from August 20, 1924; Capt. J. A. Gray, promoted to Maj. from August 20, 1924; 1st Lt. R. H. Pepper, promoted to Capt., from August 20, 1924; 2d Lt. W. E. Maxwell, promoted to 1st Lt., from January 9, 1925; 2d Lt. C. R. Wallace, promoted to 1st Lt., from January 16, 1925; 2d Lt. R. A. Boone, promoted to 1st Lt., from February 2, 1925.

April 22, 1925

Maj. H. C. Judson, to M.B., Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.; T. S. Clarke, to duty as Squadron Marine Officer, Special Service Squadron, U.S.S. Rochester.

Capt. G. H. Morse, Jr., to M.D., U.S.S. Texas; 2d Lts. R. B. DeWitt, to M.B., N.S.B., New London, Conn.; O. H. Wheeler, to M.B., Navy Yard, Boston, Mass.

Q.M.C. ASSIGNMENTS

INCIDENTAL to the retirement of Brig. Gen. J. T. Knight and the assignment of Brig. Gen. M. G. Zalinski, the following changes in the assignments to the office of the Quartermaster General have been made:

Brig. Gen. A. C. Dalton, Chief Construction Service, and Brig. Gen. M. G. Zalinski, Chief Transportation Service.

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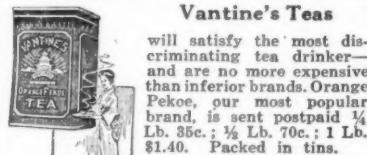
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Vice Adm. H. A. Wiley, Commander.

BATTLESHIP DIVISION 5.

West Virginia (flagship of Adm. Wiley), en route to Hawaii.

Tennessee, en route to Hawaii.

Maryland, en route to Hawaii.

Colorado, Bremerton.

BATTLESHIP DIVISION 4.

Rear Adm. W. V. Pratt, Commander.

New Mexico (flagship), Bremerton, Wash.

Mississippi, en route to Hawaii.

Idaho, en route to Hawaii.

BATTLESHIP DIVISION 3.

Rear Adm. H. J. Ziegemeier, Commander.

Pennsylvania, en route to Hawaii.

Nevada, en route to Hawaii.

Oklahoma, en route to Hawaii.

Arizona, en route to Hawaii.

DESTROYER SQUADRONS

Rear Adm. Frank H. Schofield, Commander.

Omaha, en route to Hawaii.

McLville (tender), en route to Hawaii.

Altair (tender), en route to Hawaii.

McDermut, San Diego, Calif.

SQUADRON 11.

Capt. E. H. Dodd, Commander.

Decatur (flag), en route to Hawaii.

Division 30.

McCauley, en route to Hawaii.

Sinclair, Bremerton, Wash.

Moody, Bremerton, Wash.

Henshaw, en route to Hawaii.

Meyer (F), en route to Hawaii.

Doyen, en route to Hawaii.

Division 31.

Percival, en route to Hawaii.

John Francis Burns, en route to Hawaii.

Farragut (F), en route to Hawaii.

Somers, en route to Hawaii.

William Jones, en route to Hawaii.

Zeilin, en route to Hawaii.

Division 32.

Stoddert, en route to Hawaii.

Reno, en route to Hawaii.

Farquhar, en route to Hawaii.

Thompson, en route to Hawaii.

Kennedy (F), Bremerton.

Paul Hamilton, en route to Hawaii.

SQUADRON 42.

Capt. J. G. Church, Commander.

Litchfield, en route to Hawaii.

Yarborough, en route to Hawaii.

La Vallette, en route to Hawaii.

Sloat, en route to Hawaii.

Wood, en route to Hawaii.

Shirk, en route to Hawaii.

Kidder (F), en route to Hawaii.

Division 35.

Selfridge, en route to Hawaii.

Marcus, en route to Hawaii.

Mervine, en route to Hawaii.

Chase, en route to Hawaii.

Robert Smith (F), Mare Island, Calif.

Mullan, en route to Hawaii.

Division 36.

Hull, en route to Hawaii.

Macdonough, en route to Hawaii.

Farenholz, Mare Island, Calif.

Summer, en route to Hawaii.

Corry (F), en route to Hawaii.

Melvin, en route to Hawaii.

AIRCRAFT SQUADRONS

Capt. S. E. Moses, Commander.

Langley, en route to Hawaii.

Aroostook, en route to Hawaii.

Gannet, en route to Hawaii.

Division 9.

R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R-5, R-6.

R-7, R-9, R-10, R-8, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Division Twelve, S-4, S-6, S-7, S-8, S-9, Mare Island, Calif.

Division 14.

R-11, R-12, R-13, R-14, R-15, R-16, R-17, R-18, R-19, R-20, Pearl Harbor.

Division 16.

S-33, Mare Island: S-30, S-31, S-32, S-34, S-35, en route to Honolulu.

Division Eighteen—S-2, Cavite, P. I.; S-14, S-15, S-16, S-17, Mare Island, Calif.

Division 18.

Rear Adm. George R. Marvell, Commander.

Procyon (flagship), en route to Honolulu.

MINE SQUADRON 2

Burns, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

CONTROL FORCE

Rear Adm. M. M. Taylor: U.S.S.

Savannah (flagship), en route to Hawaii.

Mine Squadron 1—Shawmut, Lark, Mallard, Mahan, en route to Hawaii, Maury, Mare Island.

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MAJ. GEN. ROBERT L. BULLARD, U.S.A., retired, president of the National Security League; Col. Franklin Q. Brown, QMC-Res, president of the Army and Navy Club of America; Col. George W. Burleigh, JAG-Res; Col. Arthur F. Schermerhorn, AG-Res; and Maj. Philip Rhinelander, AG-Res, of New York City, were the guests of the town of Concord, Mass., on the occasion of the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the Battles of Lexington and Concord on April 13.

MAJ. GEN. WM. H. HART, Quartermaster General of the Army, came to Chicago April 15 to attend the final session of the Plattsburgh Winter School, which has been conducted in this city throughout the Winter months under the direction of Col. Clyfford Game, commanding the Quartermaster Corps of the 6th Corps Area. General Hart was greatly pleased with the progress made by Reserve officers of the Quartermaster Corps of the area, stating: "I want to compliment the industrial executives of Chicago and the members of the Reserve Corps for the valuable work they have done during the Winter. Through the industrial mobilization plan the United States is at present prepared to mobilize its entire industrial resources without loss of time or waste of money in the event of an emergency." Following an inspection of the Q.M.I. Depot at 1819 Pershing Road, a dinner was given General Hart. Among those present were Maj. N. R. Markle, Col. C. S. Jacques, Col. A. E. Barnes, Col. G. E. Ball, Col. Clyfford Game and Maj. G. E. Steel.

MAJ. GEN. E. F. McGLACHLIN, M.C., U.S.A., Ret., and Mrs. McGlachlin, after a visit of seven months in the Philippine Islands, where they were guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. Joseph C. Odell, are now in Panama at the home of their brother and sister, Col. and Mrs. A. M. Miller, of Quarry Heights. General and Mrs. McGlachlin expect to return to the United States some time in May, when they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. John E. Hatch, in Auburn, Ala.

BIG. GEN. JAMES D. GLENNAN, U.S.A., Assistant to the Surgeon General of the Army, has received a silver star citation for gallantry in action against Sioux Indians in 1890. The same award has been made posthumously to Col. John F. Guilfoyle, Cav.

COL. JOHN H. HUGHES, Inf., U.S.A., has been awarded a silver star citation for gallantry in action in Cuba in July 1898.

COL. JOHN R. SLATTERY, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., whose resignation from the Army will shortly go into effect, and who was recently appointed Deputy Chief Engineer of the Board of Transportation of New York City, was given a luncheon on April 13 by the New York chapter of the Rapid Transit Engineers' section of the American Engineers. Among those present were P. S. L. Bolger, R. A. Feisel, F. G. Russell, C. M. Kendall, J. M. Hunt, E. G. Haines, John H. Delaney, Daniel L. Ryan, William A. De Ford and William G. Fullen. The speakers were J. H. Griffin, Robert Ridgeway, Francis J. Sinnott and Colonel Slattery.

COL. ALSTON HAMILTON, executive officer of the 9th Coast Artillery District, is on an inspection tour of Coast Artillery fortifications in Oregon and Washington. He will inspect and report on conditions at Ft. Stevens, Oreg., and Ft. Worden, Wash., including condition of ordnance and equipment, strength of officer and enlisted personnel and their efficiency. He will return to San Francisco upon completion of this tour of inspection.

COL. D. L. HOWELL, U.S.A., retired, and Col. W. C. Davis, U.S.A., retired, sailed for New York from San Francisco on the Army transport Chateau Thierry on April 14.

LT. COL. C. E. HATHAWAY, U.S.A., and Mrs. Hathaway, prior to their departure for their new station in Washington, D. C., were the guests of honor at a reception given by Maj. and Mrs. Otto Wagner, at Ft. Meade, S. Dak., on April 15. All members of the garrison at Ft. Meade and many civilians from Sturgis, S. Dak., were present. Colonel and Mrs. Hathaway left for Washington the following day.

LT. COL. JOHN O. STEGER sailed from Panama April 13 on the Army transport St. Mihiel for New York. Colonel Steger will go to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment.

PERSONAL CALENDAR

THE JAPANESE AMBASSADOR AND MADAME MATSUDAIRA were the guests of honor at a dinner given by Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles Burnett at their Washington home, 2013 Columbia Road, on April 4. Invited to meet them were the Minister of The Netherlands and Madame de Graeff, Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Miss Hammond, Maj. Gen. George Barnett, U.S.M.C., retired, and Mrs. Barnett, Brig. Gen. Kenzie Walker, U.S.A., and Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Cameron, and Col. Morita, military attaché of the Japanese Embassy.

COL. GEORGE H. PENROSE, U.S.A., retired, who is a member of the War Graves Commission in France, is spending two months in Florence, Italy.

LT. COL. SAMUEL J. MORRIS, U.S.A., sailed from Panama April 13 on the Army transport St. Mihiel for New York to spend his leave in the United States.

LT. COL. KENYON A. JOYCE, Military Attaché at London, and Mrs. Joyce were the guests of honor recently at a dinner given by Mrs. Edgar R. Born, of Chicago, at Florence, Italy.

MAJ. A. L. ROCKWOOD, Military Attaché at the American Embassy in Paris, sails on the S.S. America from New York on April 18.

MAJ. E. D. ARDERY, U.S.A., and Mrs. Ardery, of Camp Lewis, Wash., have left for California. They will visit friends and relatives in San Francisco and Los Angeles, returning to Camp Lewis about the last of April.

MAJ. W. A. JONES, U.S.A., Mrs. Jones and their two sons spent the Easter holidays with Major Jones' mother, Mrs. Mary E. Shelton, of Annapolis, Md. Major Jones is now stationed at Ft. Hoyle, Md.

CAPT. GEO. F. UNMACHT, C.W.S., of Chicago, addressed Castle Post (Engineers) of American Legion on April 16 and the Illinois Relations Committee, Chicago Association of Commerce on April 17 on "Chemical Warfare and Common Sense." His talks were illustrated by moving pictures showing war and peace time activities of Chemical Warfare Service. On April 22 Captain Unnacht administered the oath of allegiance and gave an address at the annual Muster Day services of William McKinley Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, at the armory of the 132d Infantry, Chicago.

CAPT. P. F. MEADE, U.S.A., and Mrs. Meade have as their guest at their home in Washington their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Gunniss, of Kansas City, Mo. Captain and Mrs. Meade entertained in her honor at the polo ball at the New Willard on April 14, and again at the Army dance at the Willard on April 17.

LT. JOSEPH M. GLASGOW and his sister, Miss Harriet Glasgow, have taken the apartment of Representative and Mrs. Tilson, while Mr. and Mrs. Tilson are motoring through Italy.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT J. S. COLE, of the U. S. Coast Guard, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander to date from March 24, becoming the senior district superintendent.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT S. R. SANDS, of the U. S. Coast Guard, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant, to date from March 24.

PAUL W. BLANCHARD, Chief Musician, U.S.A., retired, Mrs. Blanchard and their son, Paul W., Jr., recently motored to Aurora, Ill., where they were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. J. E. McCormick, of that city. They also motored to various cities throughout Illinois, spending a day along the Fox River. They returned to their home in Highland Park, Ill., on April 11.

CHIEF MUSICIAN PAUL W. BLANCHARD, U.S.A. (ret.), Mrs. Blanchard and son, Paul W., Jr., were honor guests at a dinner party given at the home of Mrs. J. E. McCormick, of North Root Street, Aurora, Ill., prior to their departure to their home in Highland Park, Ill. During their motor trip they stopped at several near-by cities, visiting old acquaintances.

MRS. THEODORIC PORTER, widow of Commodore Porter, U.S.N., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Fell, at Annapolis.

MISS JEAN METHOVEN, of the Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., will spend the week-end of April 25 at Annapolis to attend the Easter hop at the United States Naval Academy. Her escort will be Midsn. F. P. Williams, of the First Class.

A POSTHUMOUS Silver Star citation will be issued in the name of the late Maj. Robert W. Rose for gallantry in action at El Caney, Cuba, July 1, 1898. This citation has been sent to his widow, Mrs. Mabel D. Rose, Forksville, Va.

MISS MARY YOUNG is the house guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Capt. and Mrs. Fenton G. Epling, at Ft. Monroe, Va.

MISS MILDRED LANDIS, who, with her mother, spent the winter at the Hotel del Coronado, Coronado, Calif., was the guest of honor at an elaborate bridge-ta given by Mrs. John F. McClain, wife of Lieutenant Commander McClain, at her home in Coronado. Miss Landis is a sister of Mrs. John H. Everson, wife of Lieutenant Commander Everson. Miss Landis and Mrs. Everson leave soon for San Francisco to remain during the stay of the Fleet.

MISS DOROTHY NULTON, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. L. M. Nulton, has returned to Washington, D. C., to resume her studies at the National School for Girls. She was accompanied by Miss Dorothy Fowler, who had been her house guest for the holidays. Miss Winifred Murfin, who was also a visitor at the Nulton home, has returned to Smith College. Miss Nulton will return to Annapolis for the Midshipmen's Easter hop.

M R. AND MRS. HARRY A. MOODY have returned to the Biltmore in New York from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, where they spent several months with their son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Hugh Barclay.

M R. HAMER FORD spent April 3 in New York City to participate in the inter-collegiate fencing match for West Point. Mr. Ford is the son of Col. Stanley Ford, of Governor's Island.

M R. PAUL FREEMAN, son of Col. P. L. Freeman, is the guest of Mr. George Griffith in Porto Rico. He plans to return to New York about April 20.

M R. JOHN GRISSINGER, son of Col. and Mrs. J. W. Grissinger, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents at Governors Island, N. Y. Mr. Grissinger is a student at Pennsylvania State University.

M R. JOSEPH W. CROSLEY, organist and choirmaster of the U. S. Naval Academy, returned to Annapolis, April 4, from Middletown, Conn., where he was summoned by the sudden illness and death of his mother.

M R. CHARLES KISSAM ALLEN, youngest son of the late Brig. Gen. Charles J. Allen, U.S.A., is critically ill at the Broad Street Hospital, New York City, being taken there from his office at 2 Recr. Street on April 9.

M R. WILLIAM F. JONES, wife of Colonel Jones, of Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., is spending the month of April in Alabama, where she is visiting relatives and friends.

M R. WALTER R. MANN, wife of Captain Mann, of Fort Ontario, N. Y., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel V. Chisholm, at their home in Washington, D. C.

M R. MILDRED GILL, of Panama, who is the house guest of Miss Peggy McNair, daughter of Commander and Mrs. McNair, at Annapolis, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Miss McNair on April 13.

M R. SMELLOW, wife of Ensign Smel-low, U.S.N., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lipman, at Annapolis.

M R. DOUGLASS COE, wife of Lieutenant Commander Coe, U.S.N., and her two children, who have been visiting Mrs. Coe's grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Dorsey, have returned to Boston, Mass.

M R. TURNER F. CALDWELL, wife of Commander Caldwell, U.S.N., is visiting friends in Los Angeles, Calif.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY WILBUR will preside at the festival of music to be given under the auspices of the League of American Penwomen at Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., on April 29, and the Secretary of State, Mr. Kellogg, will preside on April 30. They will be assisted by Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, Rear Adm. B. F. Hutchinson, Commandant of the Washington Navy Yard, Commissioner Cuno Rudolph, Commissioner Bell and others. The use of Memorial Continental Hall has been granted for the occasion through the kindness of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, who will entertain a large party in her box. The Navy Band and the Marine Band, through their orchestras, will furnish the accompaniments and the leading singers of Washington will interpret the songs. Mrs. Edward H. Watson is the director of the festival. She is assisted by Mrs. Walter B. Howe and Mrs. Walter Benham.

ADM. ROBERT E. COONTZ, U.S.N., prior to the departure of his flagship from San Francisco, received the following message from Hon. W. R. Farrington, governor of Hawaii: "On behalf of the people of the Territory of Hawaii, I take great pleasure in extending to you and your officers and men of the United States Fleet a sincere and enthusiastic welcome. Your arrival to carry out the important educational program on which you are engaged is a culmination of an ambition that has been fostered for years by leaders of our country whose purpose has been to guarantee the friendly mission of this outpost of the Pacific. I am sure you will find that the feats of progress have served to intensify the traditional Aloha of Hawaii for the United States Navy."

EAR ADM. A. T. LONG, Brig. Gen. C. L. H. Ruggles, U.S.A., and Maj. G. V. Strong, United States delegates to the Geneva International Conference on the Control of Traffic in Arms, sailed from New York on the S.S. America on April 18.

EAR ADM. LOUIS M. JOSEPHAL, commanding officer of the New York Naval Militia and an aide on the staff of Governor Smith, is enjoying a stay in Paris. He is accompanied by Mrs. Josephal and the Misses Josephal.

EAR ADM. FRANKLIN J. DRAKE, U. S. N., in addressing the annual dinner of the Dames of the Loyal Legion recently held at the Willard Hotel in Washington, D. C., highly commended the use of airplanes in modern warfare. Admiral Drake defined the value of airplanes in various maneuvers, and said that although dreadnaughts and heavier ships never will be displaced by air armadas, the airplane has proved itself a necessary part of the war machine. Mrs. George Barnett spoke on the value of the citizens' training camps. Mrs. Logan Tucker, national president of the organization, was toastmistress.

COMDR. J. EDWARD PALMER, U.S.N., and Mrs. Palmer sailed on the Army transport Cambrai on April 23 for California, and will be away for several months.

COMDR. W. S. BAINBRIDGE, M.C., U.S.N.R.F., is in Paris attending the third "Congress International de Medicina et de Pharmacie Militaires," as delegate from the United States. His reports of the first two congresses held in Brussels and Rome, respectively, have been published in Washington.

COMDR. T. B. RICHEY, Comdr. Norman Smith, Capt. J. A. McDonald, Mmes. Henry Williams, J. M. Greer and C. F. Williams comprise a committee in charge of arrangements for the gymkhana, which will be given by the Officers' Club, Norfolk Navy Yard, on Decoration Day.

COMDR. GEORGE W. SIMPSON, U.S.N., aide to Admiral Nulton, Superintendent of the United States Naval Academy, has been called to New York by the illness of his father.

LT. COMDR. THOMAS S. McCLOY, U.S.N., Mrs. McCloy and their little daughter are guests of Mrs. McCloy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wells, at their home in Annapolis, Md.

LT. J. D. WILSON, U.S.N., and Mrs. Wilson spent Easter at Atlantic City, motoring to that city from Annapolis, where Lieutenant Wilson is on duty at the United States Naval Academy.

LT. GEORGE B. CUNNINGHAM, U.S.N., was recently a visitor in Paris, where he has many friends. Lieutenant Cunningham has now rejoined his ship, the U.S.S. Pittsburg.

ANNOUNCEMENTS of Entertainments, Engagements, Weddings, Births and Obituaries should be received at least one week prior to the date of issue—the Saturday preceding Saturday the day of publication. Address Editorial Offices, The ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, 10 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C.

ENTERTAINMENTS

THE annual regimental dinner of the 18th Infantry will be held this year in the Army and Navy Club, New York City, at 7:30 p. m., May 2. All former officers of the 18th Infantry are invited to attend. To secure a reservation, \$5 should be remitted to the treasurer and secretary, 1st Lt. Arthur C. Purvis, Ft. Slocum, N. Y. The invitation to attend includes all officers who are attached or assigned the regiment or who have been attached or assigned to the regiment at any time.

MAJ. GEN. AND MRS HARRY TAYLOR were dinner hosts at the Chevy Chase Club, Washington, April 18. Their guests were Gen. and Mrs. Jardine, Col. and Mrs. Sherrill, Maj. and Mrs. Lewis Watkins, Maj. and Mrs. De Witt C. Jones, Maj. and Mrs. Carey H. Brown, Maj. and Mrs. Milo Fox, Maj. and Mrs. Douglas Weart, Capt. and Mrs. William A. Snow, Capt. and Mrs. Lenox Lohr, and Lt. and Mrs. Girard B. Troland.

NEARLY two hundred Warrant and Commissioned Warrant Officers of the United States Fleet assembled in San Francisco Bay were the guests of the Mare Island District Chanwos Club at a dinner given at the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco, Calif., on April 13. Prior to the dinner an informal reception was held. The dinner was followed by an extensive speaking program, Chanwos representatives of practically every district club and the Fleet being heard. Chief Machinist Edward I. Dailey, president of Mare Island District Club, was the toastmaster.

A FEATURE of the official program in San Francisco for the entertainment of the Fleet was a supper dance given the Warrant and Commissioned Warrant Officers on April 11 at the K. C. Hall, Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, Calif. Between 250 and 300 officers were present.

ENGAGEMENTS

BOLLES—CRIST.—Commissioner of Naturalization and Mrs. Raymond Fowler Crist announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Genevieve Rider Crist, to Ens. Harry A. Bolles, U.S.N., of Seattle, Wash. Ensign Bolles is a member of the Naval Academy, class of 1923, and is now stationed at the Post Graduate School, Annapolis, Md. The wedding will take place at Washington, D. C., in July.

CADY—BLAKE.—Mr. and Mrs. Reginald S. Blake have announced that the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Ens. John Parmelee Cady, U.S.N., will take place at 4 p. m. May 9, at the Church of the Saviour, Brooklyn, N. Y.

CASTNER—RABY.—Capt. James J. Raby, U.S.N., Commandant of the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla., and Mrs. Raby, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lady Jane, to Lt. Lawrence V. Castner, U.S.A., now stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. Lieutenant Castner is the son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Joseph Castner. Miss Raby will be graduated from Vassar this June, and the wedding will take place in the Fall.

DICKEY—HYDE.—Maj. and Mrs. A. W. Robins, of Wilbur Wright Field, Ohio, entertained informally April 6, and announced the engagement of Mrs. Robins' sister, Miss Helen Hovey Hyde, of Baltimore, Md., to Mr. George Cecil Dickey, of Attica, Ind. The wedding will take place at Wilbur Wright Field early in the Fall.

ECKLES—MAYES—KING—MAYES.—Mrs. James J. Mayes announces the engagement of her daughters, Miss Mary Elizabeth Mayes, to Maj. Archibald King, U.S.A., and Miss Helen Duncan Mayes, to Mr. Elmer Eckles. They are the daughters of the late Col. James J. Mayes, U.S.A. Major King is on duty in the Judge Advocate General's office, War Department. Mr. Eckles is in business in Springfield, Mo.

FISH—HOYT.—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Josephine Hoyt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hoyt, of Berkeley, Calif., to Lt. James Fish, 3d, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fish, of Oakland. The wedding will take place in the near future.

MACKENZIE—SAWTELLE.—Mrs. Charles Greene Sawtelle, Jr., of 157 East 37th Street, New York City, announces the engagement of her daughter, Alice Bernice, to Mr. Hugh Mackenzie, of Toronto, Canada. Miss Sawtelle is the daughter of the late Captain Sawtelle, Jr., 8th U.S. Cav., and the granddaughter of the late Brig. Gen. C. G. Sawtelle. The wedding will take place early in June.

NORTHCUTT—BRYANT.—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. C. Bryant, 3611 Wisconsin Avenue N. W., Washington, D. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Bryant, to Ens. Harold Wilson Northcutt, U.S.N. The wedding will take place in Bethlehem chapel, Washington Cathedral, May 9. Miss Bryant is a graduate of the National Cathedral School, class of 1924, and Ensign Northcutt of the Naval Academy, class of 1923.

ORDWAY—SLOANE.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Sloane, of New York City and The Place, Sands Point, L. I., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Christine Sloane, to Godwin Ordway, Jr., son of Col. Godwin Ordway, 2d Coast Art., U.S.A., and Mrs. Ordway. Miss Sloane, who is a niece of Mrs. Henry Forbes McCreary, was graduated from Miss Spence's School in June, 1922, and made her debut the following Winter. Mr. Ordway is a grandson of Mrs. Albert Ordway, of Washington, D. C., and of the late General Ordway. He is a first class man at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point. No date has been set for the wedding.

SMITHERS—SCARBROUGH.—Mrs. L. A. Scarbrough, of Columbus, Ga., announces the engagement of her daughter, Martha Emily, to Lt. Samuel Wayne Smithers, U.S.A. The wedding will take place on May 26.

SERVICE WEDDINGS

MCNULTY—HALL.—The wedding of Miss Alice Lee Hall, daughter of Col. D. P. Hall, U.S.M.C., and Mrs. Hall, who are now stationed at the Naval War College, Newport, R. I., to Capt. William Kirk MacNulty, U.S.M.C., was solemnized at St. John's Church, Newport, on April 13. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Spence Burton, Father Superior of the Society of St. John the Evangelist, Boston, assisted by Rev. Julian D. Hamtin, rector of the church, and Rev. Rudolph Schnorrerberg, curate. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her wedding gown was of white crepe Roma, with a girdle of crystal trimming and a wide court train of crystal net. She wore her mother's wedding veil, which was held in place with orange blossoms. She carried lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was the bride's cousin, Miss Betty Lee Snyder, daughter of Capt. C. P. Snyder, U.S.N., and Mrs. Snyder. The six bridesmaids were Miss Elizabeth Sutton, of San Francisco, who came East especially to attend the wedding; Miss Mary Earle, cousin of the bride and daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Ralph Earle; Miss Jane Raby, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. J. Raby; Miss Mary Park Clements, of Washington; Miss Edith Morris, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. John Craik Morris, of Panama; and Miss Katherine Dunlop, of Washington, a cousin of the bride, a student at Vassar. The ushers were Ens. G. G. Weston, F. S. Riddle, Sherman Clarke, Robert H. Smith, U.S.N., and Lts. Charles Cresswell and Joseph Burke. Captain MacNulty's best man, Capt. Robert H. Pepper, M.C., of Philadelphia, served with him in the World War. They were attached to the Sixth Marines of the 2d Division, which participated in many of the major engagements. After the ceremony a small reception for the wedding party and a few friends was held at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Ralph Earle, at the Newport Torpedo Station.

MCORD—ELLIS.—The marriage of Miss Martine Ellis, daughter of Capt. Dan M. Ellis, U.S.A., and Mrs. Ellis, to Lt. Henry Landon McCord, U.S.A., took place at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., on March 21, the ceremony being performed by Chaplain Horace R. Fell, U.S.A. Only a few intimate friends were present at the wedding. The ceremony was followed by a reception, which was attended by practically everyone on the post. Lieutenant and Mrs. McCord will be at home at Jefferson Barracks after May 1.

POTTER—DEAMER.—Lt. Charles Joseph Rend, Jr., U.S.N., attached to the U.S.S. Texas, and Miss Helen Deamer, daughter of Mrs. William White Deamer, of San Francisco, Calif., were married at the home of the bride's mother on April 14, the marriage service being performed by Monsignor Charles Ramm in the presence

of 150 relatives and friends. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. William C. Deamer. The maid of honor was Miss Virginia Lemman, a cousin of the bride. Miss Alysses Allen, Miss Albina Caire and Miss Helen Roberts were the bridesmaids. Lt. Comdr. Callaghan, U.S.N., was best man. The ushers were Lts. Kenneth Hoeffel, Byron Bague, Cleeman Withers and Mr. Carey Callaghan. Lieutenant and Mrs. Rend will reside in the East for the Summer.

SCHULTZ—TURNBULL.—The wedding of Mrs. Madge Bucher Turnbull and Lt. Col. Theodore Schultz, U.S.A., took place April 18 at the post chapel, Ft. Monroe, Va., where the brother of the bride, Capt. Oliver Boone Bucher, is stationed. Chaplain Edmund Easterbrook officiated.

Mrs. Turnbull is the daughter of the late Dr. David and Mrs. Anne Lindsay Bucher, of Bridgewater, Va. The church was decorated in bridal wreath, iris and lilies. The bride was escorted to the altar by her brother, Captain Bucher, and her small daughter, Margaret Lindsay Turnbull, was maid of honor, and her niece, Evelyn Bayley Bucher, 6-year-old daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Bucher, was flower girl. The best man was Maj. J. F. Walker, and ushers were Col. R. B. McBride, Maj. S. S. Giffin, Capt. R. E. Phillips, Capt. W. D. Evans, Capt. Orlo Quinn and Maj. Olin Longino. They formed an arch of swords as the bridal party left the church. A reception followed at the officers' club at Ft. Monroe. The club was decorated with dogwood blossoms, iris and smilax. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Mountford.

The bride's costume was of blonde lace over flesh-colored georgette, with transparent picture hat of silk horsehair braid, lace trimmed, with a large, pale pink rose resting on the under side of the brim. Blonde satin slippers and a corsage of orchids completed the costume. Margaret Lindsay Turnbull wore pink crepe de chine embroidered in pastel shades, with drooping leghorn hat trimmed in pastel-shaded flowers. She carried sweetheart roses. Evelyn Bayley Bucher was dressed in sunset taffeta with pock bonnet of shirred georgette and shadow lace en suite and carried a basket of sweet peas.

The bridal couple left for a motor trip through the Virginia mountains. Col. and Mrs. Schultz will be at home at 2151 California Street, N. W., Washington, after May 10, until June 9, when they will leave for foreign service in Hawaii.

The out-of-town guests at the wedding were Miss Mary Schultz, daughter of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. William Clark Noble, Mrs. Mattie Wyatt Porter, Mrs. Chilton Ellet and Miss Katherine Ladd of Washington; Mr. James Tucker Cook of Waynesboro, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bucher and Miss Anne Lindsay Bucher, of Ashland, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caloway Brown, of Richmond, and several Norfolk guests.

Colonel Schultz is now on duty with the Chief of Finance, U.S.A.

SELBY—DION.—Lt. Malcolm E. Selby, U.S.N., stationed at the Naval Air Station, North Island, San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Dorothy Dion, daughter of Mrs. P. B. Eckhart, were married at La Jolla, near San Diego, recently.

BIRTHS

BARRY.—Maj. David S. Barry, U.S.M.C., and Mrs. Barry announce the birth of a daughter on April 14, 1925.

COOPER.—Born at Justinienne Hospital, Cape Haitien, Republic of Haiti, March 26, 1925, to Lt. (j.g.) George F. Cooper (M.C.), U.S.N., and Mrs. Cooper, a daughter, Jeanne Yvonne.

HESS.—Maj. Walter Wood Hess, Jr., (D.O.L.), (F.A.), U.S.A. and Mrs. Hess announce the birth of a daughter, Betty, at Philadelphia, Pa., on March 19, 1925.

MCALAIN.—Capt. Ralph E. McLain, Inf., U.S.A., and Mrs. McLain announce the birth of a daughter, Jean, at Newark, Ohio, on April 11, 1925.

POTTER.—Lt. George L. Potter, U.S.A., and Mrs. Potter, of Ft. Benning, Ga., announce the birth of a son on April 16, 1925.

ROSENBERG.—Lt. Lyle Rosenberg, U.S.A., and Mrs. Rosenberg, of Camp Lewis, Wash., announce the birth of a daughter at the post hospital on April 5, 1925.

SULLIVAN.—A son, John Joseph, was born to Mrs. Sullivan, wife of Capt. J. P. Sullivan, C.A.C., U.S.A., at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., on February 1, 1925.

VANN.—Capt. J. W. Vann, C.A.C., U.S.A., and Mrs. Vann announce the birth of a son, Joseph William, Jr., at Letterman General Hospital.

WOTKYN.—Born at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, March 26, 1925, to Mrs. Genevieve Hornbrook Wotkyns, wife of Capt. Steele Wotkyns, F.A., U.S.A., a son, Steele, Jr.

OBITUARIES

FORSE.—Rear Adm. Charles T. Forse, U.S.N., Ret., who died April 13, 1925, at Pittsburgh, Pa., after a short illness, was appointed to the United States Naval Academy by President Lincoln and was graduated in 1868. He had previously served in the Navy when 16 years old. He was promoted to ensign in 1869, and in 1870 made a master.

He became a lieutenant commander in 1894, and after his service in the Spanish-American War was made a commander. Admiral Forse was assigned as a light-house inspector in 1900 and then was placed in command of the Celtic. He became a captain in 1903 and at the close of that year was retired with the rank of rear admiral.

GATES.—Capt. Manley F. Gates, M.C., U.S.N., Ret., died at Southampton, England, March 31. He was buried on Easter Day at his home, Newcastle, Damariscotta, Me.

MATTICE.—Asa M. Mattice, one of the leading mechanical engineers of the country, died early Sunday morning, April 19, in his 72d year. He had not been in good health for several years but was active until some ten days ago. Among engineers who knew of his work he was regarded as one of the most brilliant members of the profession. His technical education was as a Cadet Engineer at the U. S. Naval Academy, where he graduated at the head of his class in 1874. After early routine duty he was an instructor in engineering at Annapolis, and later was principal assistant to the Late Admiral Melville in the early designs of machinery for the New Navy (1886-'89).

He left the Navy in '89 and was for about ten years associated with E. D. Leavitt of Boston, consulting-engineer for the Calumet and Hecla Co. This was followed by service as chief-engineer for Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co. and Westinghouse Machine Co. At the request of his old friend and classmate B. H. Warren, who was president of Allis-Chalmers Co., he went as chief-engineer of that company. Later he was Works-Manager of the Walworth Co. He retired for a few years but was persuaded to resume active work with the Remington Arms Co. at the time of the Great War, as Advisory Engineer, and continued this work until his death.

His information was encyclopedic and he could always enrich any discussion of matters in the fields he had covered. He was somewhat reserved but had great personal charm for his friends, who prized the friendship highly. He was a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Society of Naval Engineers and the Engineers Club of New York.

Mr. Mattice is survived by one sister, Miss Cora Mattice, of Buffalo, and several nieces and nephews, among whom is Colonel Frederick W. Lewis, U. S. Army Retired, 17 East 11th Street, New York.

RUCKMAN.—Mrs. May Hamilton Ruckman, widow of Brig. Gen. J. W. Ruckman, died at Walter Reed Hospital April 17 after a short illness, resulting from a stroke of apoplexy.

Mrs. Ruckman was the daughter of the late Col. John Hamilton, of the United States Artillery, and was married to General Ruckman in 1887, when the latter was a lieutenant. She had a varied and interesting experience in connection with the United States Army, dating from the time of her father's service in the Indian wars to her husband's service in the World War. She was a member of the Army and Navy Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Ruckman leaves two children, John Hamilton Ruckman, of Topeka, Kans., who was a captain with the American Expeditionary Forces during the World War, and Miss Marjorie Campbell Ruckman, with whom Mrs. Ruckman resided in the Kenesaw Apartments.

WITSELL.—Died at Rock Hill, S. C., March 19, 1925, Mrs. Edward F. Witsell, Sr., mother of Maj. Edward F. Witsell, Chemical Warfare Service, U.S.A. Interment was at Magnolia Cemetery, Charleston, S. C., on March 21, 1925.

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By RAYMOND V. SYKES

The outlook in the stock market, for the time being at least, is more encouraging than it has been for a number of weeks. Price changes as a whole are small and trading is in rather contracted volume. The interpretation is not the case of buying overcomimg selling, but rather of selling having spent its force.

The reaction in the stock market was due to an unsound technical position and not to unsatisfactory business conditions. Fundamentally, the business condition is about as good as could be desired. It is true that certain trades are slower than they were at the first of the year, but an incorrect interpretation has been placed on this. It is nothing more than a seasonal decline and is quite normal. The pessimism with which such reports have been received was dictated by preconceived ideas established by the decline in stock market prices.

During the first quarter of the year the output of iron and steel was greater than in any similar period in history. Railroad freight traffic also exceeded any similar period, not excepting the boom of 1920. Bank clearings are running about 15 per cent above a year ago. Building construction, while less than a year ago, is at a very high rate. Automobile production has gained month by month since the first of the year. Employment is satisfactory and the only industries that report a decline are those which normally curtail operations at this season of the year. Furthermore, there are no labor disputes of consequence.

Commodity prices on the whole are stable and well balanced in relation to one another. The low level at which farm products sold for so long in comparison with other commodities has been adjusted to a more satisfactory basis. Such price declines as are taking place are not sufficient to postpone purchasing, nor the advances sufficient to cause speculative buying. Credit continues abundant at easy levels. Foreign trade is at a high rate, the favorable balance for March amounting to \$67,000,000, against \$19,000,000 a year ago. Sales by retail stores throughout the country average 5.5 per cent greater than a year ago, an indication of broadly distributed buying power of moment.

Reports from business leaders in every field of activity, the official reports of Government Bureaus, the periodical letters of the leading banks, and official statements by corporations are all in the same key—that business is following a normal course, with satisfactory expansion in the majority of cases. No boom is in sight and none has been prophesied or desired by men of experience. Judge Gary says that if the steel industry continues a barometer of business, then the country has a good future. "There is nothing in the situation to cause anyone to be frightened regarding the future, and if money rates are kept reasonable, good business may be expected next Fall and Winter," he thinks.

Gerald Swope, president of the General Electric Company, states that orders received for the first three months of the present year show an increase of 14 per cent over the corresponding period of last year.

W. B. Storey, president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, says: "Earnings thus far this year have shown improvement over 1924, and I see no reason why this improvement should not continue the rest of the half-year."

C. W. Nash, president of Nash Motors, says: "Sales for the first three months showed an increase of 43 per cent over last year. Our company has been in an over-sold condition since January 1, and notwithstanding recent additions to manufacturing facilities we were unable to meet demands."

William Knox, president of the American Bankers' Association, finds the consensus is that basic elements of prosperity have not been hurt by the setback in the wheat and stock exchanges and sees no indication of changes for the worse in fundamental conditions. He thinks the deflation of over-optimism has resulted in a more wholesome and dependable attitude for continued general progress.

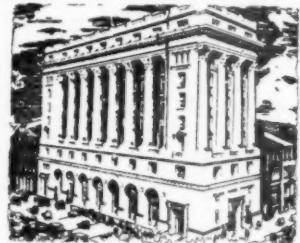
John Moody, in discussing the financial outlook, says: "Opinion in many quarters is that, while general trade is sound, stock prices may go lower. However, there is no basis for supposing that trade can go one way and the stock market the other during any broad movement. Our trade barometer, ever since the violent slump of 1921, has been moving back and forth in a relatively narrow range, and at a comparatively low level. In the past, this has always signified general readjustment of operating expenses and restoration of margins of profit preparatory to an era of larger prosperity."

While the outlook is quite satisfactory for business in the near future, and selling in the security market has subsided, the investor should not make purchases indiscriminately with the idea that the bull market will be resumed on such a scale as to extend from one end of the list to the other. He should not forget that prices are still very high, despite the reaction, and a great many stocks have fully discounted their outlook. As a group, the railroads still have the best of the situation and such issues as New York Central, Southern Pacific, Atchison, Wabash Preferred "A," and Missouri, Kansas & Texas Preferred can be purchased for both investment and the probability of appreciation. The latter two are more speculative.

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Lt. (j. g.) N. R. Stiles assigned Porter.
Bosn. (T) John DeZeeuw assigned CG-259,
Section Base 11; (T) E. T. Turcotte assigned
Tamarac; (L) Jasper Myers assigned as Per-
sonnel Officer, First District; (T) Harold Berry
assigned CG-154, Section Base 7; (T) G. Wash-
burn assigned CG-179, Section Base 7; (T) Al-
fred Powell, assigned CG-184, Section Base 1.
Gun. (O) C. Hubbard detached headquarters,
assigned Section Base 3.

Macha. (T) J. White detached depot, as-
signed Gresham; (T) T. Lund detached
Gresham, assigned Davey, New Orleans.

Pay Clks. (T) E. Dodge detached depot, as-
signed headquarters, Gulf Division; (T) D.
Brown, assigned Section Base 6; (T) W. Cun-
ningham, assigned Section Base 8.

G. Zimmerman, former B.M.I.C., appointed
Boatswain (T) and assigned Northern Division
temporarily; H. Bebler, former C.Q.M., ap-
pointed Boatswain (T) and assigned CG-220,
Section Base 9; A. MacNeill, former C.R.M., ap-
pointed Boatswain (T) and assigned Section
Base 11, San Francisco, Calif.; Carl Bayne,
former C.B.M., appointed Boatswain (T) and
assigned CG-261, Section Base 11; LeRoy Clark,
former C.Y., appointed Pay Clerk (T) and as-
signed Snohomish.

Bosn. (T) Archie M. Clark, Haida, has re-
signed; P. Clk. (T) E. C. Graves, Section Base
6, has resigned; Bosn. K. J. Brandthill, Shaw-
nee, was retired on April 10 in view of physical
disability.

LATE ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

S.O. 95, W.D., April 21, 1925

Quartermaster Corps—Maj. F. J. Riley to
Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., Washington, D. C., for
treatment. Fld. Clk. Henry Hobson will sail
from San Francisco, Calif., about May 14 for
Honolulu for duty. Resignation of Capt. J. A.
Broderick, effective June 1, accepted. 1st Lt.
J. P. Tillman, effective June 24, to Fort Wayne,
Mich., for duty. Capt. B. R. Whitthorne to
San Francisco, Calif., and sail about May 14
for Hawaii for duty.

Capt. J. L. Boyd, D.C., detailed as member
board to meet at Camp Lewis for examining
applicants for D.C.

Corps of Engineers—1st Lt. H. Twichell, upon
completion summer training camps and not
later than Sept. 17, is assigned to 3d Div., and
will report to Com. Gen. 9th C.A. for assign-
ment to station. 1st Lt. J. G. Christiansen,
upon completion summer training camps and
not later than Sept. 14, is assigned to 3d Div.,
and will report to Com. Gen. 9th C.A. for as-
signment to station. 1st Lt. V. A. Beers is
assigned to 29th Engrs., Ft. Humphreys, Va.,
and will report not later than June 29 for duty.
1st Lt. M. W. Gilliland is assigned to 1st Div.,
and will report to Com. Gen. 2d C.A. for as-
signment to station. 1st Lt. N. L. Hemenway,
upon completion summer training camps, is as-
signed to 3d Div., and will report to Com. Gen.
9th C.A. for assignment to station. S.O. 76,
W.D., Apr. 1, directing 1st Lt. C. K. Harding
to sail for Canal Zone from New York City
about Aug. 6, is revoked. 1st Lt. J. C. Mar-
shall will sail from New York City about Aug.
6 for Canal Zone for duty. Capt. F. T. Bass,
effective Sept. 1, is detailed at Johns Hopkins
University, Baltimore, for duty. 1st Lt. H. G.
Lambert, effective Aug. 1, is detailed at Uni-
versity of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, for duty.
1st Lt. A. N. Tanner, Jr., effective Sept. 5,
is detailed at Virginia Agricultural and Me-
chanical College and Polytechnic Institute,
Blacksburg, Va., for duty.

Cavalry—Capt. R. N. Atwell to Ft. Riley,
Kans., and report not later than Sept. 14 to
Cav. Sch., for duty as student. Capt. G. S.
Finley, effective June 8, relieved from duty at
Oregon Agricultural College, and to Ft. Riley,
Kans., not later than Sept. 14, to Cav. Sch.
for duty as student. 2d Lt. H. T. Cavanaugh
is assigned to 1st Cav. Div., and will report to
Com. Gen. 1st Cav. for assignment to station.
Capt. P. S. Haydon will proceed to San Fran-
cisco, Calif., and sail about June 17 for Philip-
pines. Col. R. J. Fleming to Ft. Riley, Kans.,
Aug. 15, to Cav. Sch. for duty as assistant
commandant.

Field Artillery—Lt. Col. D. W. Hand relieved
from duty as assistant commandant, F.A. Sch.,
Ft. Sill, Okla., effective about June 25, then
to Washington, D. C., for duty in office of Chief
of F.A. 1st Lt. M. A. Cowles, upon comple-
tion course at University of Chicago, to Wash-
ington, D. C., for duty in office of Chief of F.A.
Col. L. R. Holbrook is detailed in Insp. Gen.'s
Dept, effective June 28, vice Col. W. T. John-
ston, I.G. 1st Lt. S. M. Bevans assigned to
18th F.A., at Ft. Sill, Okla., for duty. Col.
H. W. Butler to temporary duty with F.A. Bd.,
Ft. Bragg, N. C., in addition to other duties.
Following captains, upon completion present
course at F.A. Sch., detailed for duty with Org.
Res., 3d C.A., as indicated: J. A. Stewart to
99th Div., Pittsburgh, Pa.; W. C. Carlan, ex-
ecutive officer 580th Art., at Allentown, Pa.;
H. R. Hanson to Non-Div. group, Harrisburg,
Pa.; M. L. Craig, executive officer, Res. units
at Newcastle, Pa. Capt. T. R. Kerschner, upon
completion present course at F.A. Sch., Ft.
Sill, to duty with 104th Div., Org. Res., at Salt
Lake City, Utah. Following captains, upon
completion course at F.A. Sch., detailed to duty
with Org. Res., 4th C.A., at stations indicated:
H. C. Bowman to 448th F.A., O.R., Raleigh,
N. C.; A. S. Quintard, executive 319th F.A.,
O.R., at Augusta, Ga. Following captains, upon
completion course at F.A. Sch., detailed for
duty with O.R., 6th C.A., with Non-Div. F.A.
units at places indicated: H. W. O. Kinnard,
Chicago, Ill.; L. M. Kilgariff, Peoria, Ill.; L. A.
DesPland, Jr., Wausau, Wis.

Capt. G. A. Greaves to Walter Reed Gen.
Hosp., Washington, D. C., for treatment.

Capt. B. B. Blair, C.A.C., to San Francisco,
Calif., and sail about June 17 for Philippines
for duty.

Infantry—Lt. Col. H. A. Ripley, effective
Sept. 13, assigned to 3d Div., and will report
to Com. Gen. 9th C.A., for assignment to sta-
tion. Col. F. J. Morrow, effective July 7, is
assigned to 3d Div., and will report to Com.
Gen. 9th C.A., for assignment to station; R. J.
Burt, effective Dec. 15, is assigned to 8th Inf.

at Ft. Screven, Ga.; for duty; G. D. Freeman,
Jr., upon completion present course at Inf.
Sch., is assigned to 11th Inf., Ft. Benjamin
Harrison, Ind.; H. G. Learnard, effective Sept.
1, is assigned to 13th Inf., Ft. Strong, Mass.;
F. B. Shaw, effective Sept. 21, is assigned to
17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Nebr.; A. J. Dougherty,
effective Oct. 6, is assigned to 25th Inf., No-
gales, Ariz. Maj. R. R. Barrett, upon comple-
tion course at C. & G.S. Sch., Ft. Leaven-
worth, to Boston, Mass., for duty with G.S.C.
at Hq., 1st C.A. Maj. R. B. Harrison to New
York City and sail about Aug. 6 for Canal
Zone for duty. Maj. R. A. Jones, upon comple-
tion course at C. & G.S. Sch., Ft. Leaven-
worth, to Ft. Benning, Ga., for duty as member
Inf. Bd. Maj. E. E. Lewis, upon completion
course at C. & G.S. Sch., Ft. Leaven-
worth, to Ft. Benning, Ga., to Inf. Sch., for duty with
school staff. Capt. O. S. Smith assigned to
29th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga., effective July 11.
Capt. J. M. Hite assigned to 29th Inf., Ft.
Benning, Ga., effective Aug. 2. Capt. C. J.
Deahl Jr., to Washington, D. C., July 15, and
report to Chief Militia Bureau for duty. Capt.
O. K. Wolber is assigned to 24th Inf. at Ft.
Benning for duty. Capt. P. B. Rogers, upon
completion present course, assigned to 24th Inf.
and to Ft. Benning, Ga. Capt. E. N. Frakes
to duty with 29th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga., effective
Aug. 21, W.D., March 26, assigning Lt. Col.
G. H. Williams to 8th Inf., Camp McClellan,
Ala., effective June 25, is revoked. Capt. F. A.
Byrne, upon completion course at Inf. Sch., is
detailed to Howard University, Washington,
for duty. 1st Lt. P. D. Carter, effective June
15, is detailed to Rhode Island State College,
Kingston, R. I., for duty.

First Lt. J. Y. York, Jr., A.S., to Adv.
Fl. Sch., Kelly Field, Tex., for course of in-
struction.

Maj. F. B. Terrell, U.S.A., ret., is placed on
active duty, effective June 15, and is detailed to
duty at University of California, southern
branch, Los Angeles, Calif.

Leaves—Seven days to Maj. H. W. Huntley,
G.S., effective about April 25. Four months to
Maj. J. D. Carmody, Q.M.C. One month and
15 days to Maj. C. C. Drake, Q.M.C., effective
about July 10, to terminate to enable him to
sail for Philippines about Sept. 3. Two months
and 20 days to Maj. J. H. Pirie, A.S., effective
about June 5, with permission to leave United
States. Two months and 10 days to Maj. A. R.
Harris, F.A., effective about June 10. One
month and 15 days to Maj. A. Gibson, C.W.S.,
about June 28, to terminate to enable him to
sail for Manila about Sept. 3. Ten days to
Maj. K. F. Baldwin, C.A.C., effective about
May 4. One month to 2d Lt. F. R. Johnson,
6th Engrs., effective upon arrival in New York
City. One month and 15 days to 2d Lt. E.
Kelly, A.S., about April 26, to terminate to enable
him to sail for Honolulu about June 16.

Following enlisted men were placed on retired
list at places indicated:

Retirement of enlisted men—1st Sgt. J. A.
Armstrong, Hq. Troop, 10th Cav., at Ft. Hu-
achuca, Ariz.; 1st Sgt. C. L. Chaipe, D.E.M.L.,
at State College of Washington, Pullman,
Wash.; 1st Sgt. J. Bailey, D.E.M.L., at Ft.
Leavenworth, Kans. Mts. Sgt. E. Feigenbaum,
Q.M.C., at Plattsburg Bks., N. Y.; Staff Sgt.
D. R. Green, Gtry. D, 13th C.A., at Ft. Moul-
trie, S. C.

Sgt. R. L. McClung, Hq. Det., 1st Squad,
7th Cav., Ft. Bliss, Tex., is transferred to the
D.E.M.L. and detailed to duty with the N.G.
of N. Mex. as Sgt. Instr. of Cav.

Maj. J. M. Bush, C.E.Res., to active duty,
effective Apr. 27, at Chicago Engr. Proc. Dist.
Lt. Col. W. L. Henwood, Q.M.C.Res., to active
duty, effective May 11, at Washington, report-
ing to Q.M. Gen. Capt. J. C. Hinton, C.E.Res.,
to active duty, effective May 1, for training at
Philadelphia, Pa. Maj. J. R. Thompson, C.E.
Res., to active duty, effective May 1. He will
report to Asst. Sec. of War, Washington, for
training. 1st Lt. G. H. Livengood, F.A.Res., to
active duty, effective May 17, at Camp Lewis,
Wash., for training. Maj. L. Scofield, O.D.Res.,
to active duty, effective May 17, at Washington,
D. C., for training.

TO MAKE INSPECTION

MAJ. JOHN A. BROOKS, JR., O.D.,
officer in charge of Reserve matters,
office of the Chief of Ordnance, left Wash-
ington on April 19 for an inspection of
Ordnance R.O.T.C. units of the University
of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, and that
of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor,
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NORFOLK NAVY YARD

VIRGINIA, April 14.

A tea-dance was given yesterday at the Officers' Club, Navy Yard, which was one of the largest of the season. Mmes. Henry Williams, Henry C. Davis, H. B. Le Bourgoise, Comdr. Bruce R. Ware, and Lt. Col. C. F. Williams, comprising the house committee, received.

Comdr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith have left to attend the Navy ball at the New Willard Hotel, Washington.

The weekly luncheon of the Monday Club was given yesterday in the Norfolk-Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce banquet hall. Maj. Frederick L. Martin, commanding officer of the around-the-world flight was one of the guests of honor, flying over from Langley Field to the Naval Base, where he was met by Col. William H. Sands, chairman of the Monday Club. Among other guests were Adm. Roger Welles, and Lt. Col. F. A. Pope, U.S. Dist. Engr. Maj. Martin was the guest of Col. Sands during his stay here.

Miss Lea Smith entertained at dinner at the Country Club, preceding the regular dance Saturday. Her guests were Comdr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith, Comdr. and Mrs. L. H. Williams, Misses Fleurette Dowdelle, of San Francisco, Wilhelmina Huske and Lts. A. D. Alexis, J. F. Rees and Mrs. C. F. Hooper.

Invitations to several card parties and other entertainments in honor of Miss Martha Hyman Woodward, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Franklin Woodward, and Mr. F. Alfred Van Fatten, whose marriage will take place Saturday, have been recalled on account of the death of Mrs. Woodward's mother, Mrs. Martha Hyman Phillips. The reception invitations have also been recalled, and the ceremony will be quietly performed.

Mrs. S. G. Crisp will entertain this afternoon at her home, Navy Yard, at a luncheon in honor of her house guest, Mrs. S. L. Rutherford, of Washington.

Miss Kinston will entertain this week at a card party at the home of her brother, Capt. Arthur Kinston, Marine Barracks, in honor of their sister, Mrs. Ralph Pierce of Buffalo, who is their guest.

Ens. Frederick J. Bell left Sunday evening for Baltimore, where his marriage to Miss Pauline Glidden will take place Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Pierce and Miss Mary Pierce of Buffalo, are guests of Capt. Arthur Kinston and Miss Kinston at Marine Barracks.

Mrs. G. G. Seibels, who has been the guest of relatives in Norfolk, has left for her home in Washington, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. P. Dodson.

Mrs. T. B. Richey entertained Friday at her home in the Navy Yard at a bridge-luncheon, in honor of Mrs. Norborne L. Rawlings. Other guests included Mmes. J. T. Walker, S. G. Crisp, G. W. Calver, F. E. Sellers, H. V. McCabe, and S. L. Rutherford of Washington.

Mrs. Nancy Ward entertained Saturday at a tea-dance at the Officers' Club, Navy Yard, for Misses Louise Walker of Luthersville, Md., Mary Alfred, Barbara Davis, Mary Heiner, Charlotte Jarvis, Alice Kempf, Mary Riddle, Louise Everett, Molly Brush, Elmer and Fannie Moore, Elizabeth Ball and Darrell Jersey; Messrs. Russell Stevenson, Junior Decker of Luthersville, Md., John Jarvis, Ned Brush, Henry Williams, Lt. J. S. Devereux, Ens. Frederick J. Bell, Hanson W. Baldwin, Wallace B. Short, Joseph J. Rooney, L. W. Johnson, Frank R. Davis, Paul L. F. Weaver, Walter W. Rockney, and Joseph W. Long.

Miss Darrell Jersey arrived last week from St. Catherine's School, Richmond, Va., to spend the holidays with her parents, Col. and Mrs. James P. Jersey, Hampton Place, Portsmouth. Accompanying her were Misses Watkins, Minor and Tucker of Richmond.

The first annual Horse Show of Norfolk will be held April 25 under the direction of the Norfolk Saddle Club, for the benefit of the Comforting Circle of the King's Daughters. Many prominent people will enter horses and ride in the various events which are scheduled to take place. Among the members of the club are Capt. Charles M. De Valin, U.S.N., Lt. Comdr. George C. Rhoades, Col. William H. Sands, Lt. J. C. Brown (honorary), and Capt. C. E. Greaves (honorary).

FORT LEAVENWORTH

KANSAS, April 1.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Mackall have as their guest Mrs. Mackall's mother, Mrs. Travis, of New York City.

Mrs. Andrew D. Chaffin entertained at a luncheon recently, at which the engagement of her daughter, Josephine, to Maj. William H. Jones, Jr., was announced. The guests were Mmes. R. C. Kirtland, E. A. Myer, Ahrends, Rogers, Eugene Lyse, Hall, Hartle, Lockett, Nelson, Dravo, Saunders, Hughes, Grier, Anderson, Ross, Morrissey, Gibner, Storaasli and Parrott, Misses Richmond, Jackson and Nelson.

A recent visitor at the post was Maj. Gen. Eli A. Helmick, Inspector General of the Army. At the invitation of the Commandant he came to deliver a lecture on "Leadership," before the Command and General Staff School. General Helmick approached his subject.

Among the Reserve officers attending the special class at the Command and General Staff School is Lt. Col. Le Roy Smith, Inf., O.R.C., of Los Angeles, Calif.

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Alice Merchant, mother of Maj. B. T. Merchant, of Fort Riley, Kans.

Warren W. Whiteside, son of Colonel Whiteside, of Fort Riley, Kans., was the week-end guest of Miss Margaret Richmond, daughter of Col. Henry R. Richmond. Miss Richmond entertained at a dance on Friday, her guests being Misses Grace Lear, Mary S. Mitchell, Helen Nelson, Dorothy Russ, Helen Pendleton, Jean Sutherland, Ann Van Natta, Harriet Deems, Susan Brandt, Dorothy Given, Marjorie Thompson, Elizabeth Bull and Polly Richmond, Messrs. Warren W. Whiteside, son of Colonel Whiteside, of Fort Riley, Kans., was the week-end guest of Miss Margaret Richmond, daughter of Col. Henry R. Richmond. Miss Richmond entertained at a dance on Friday, her guests being Misses Grace Lear, Mary S. Mitchell, Helen Nelson, Dorothy Russ, Helen Pendleton, Jean Sutherland, Ann Van Natta, Harriet Deems, Susan Brandt, Dorothy Given, Marjorie Thompson, Elizabeth Bull and Polly Richmond, Messrs.

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Carl Truesdale, James Grier, Paul Lopez, Carl Brandt, Warden Wells, Gordon Singles, Paul Bunker, Jim Avera, John Beuret and Carlos Imanelli.

Miss Grace Lear, a student at Kansas University, Lawrence, was the week-end guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Ben Lear.

Mrs. Clarence Lininger was hostess at a large tea recently. Other recent hostesses include Mrs. R. Miller, who entertained at luncheon; Mrs. Thomas Holcomb, who gave a bridge party on Friday.

Mrs. Aubrey Lippincott, of Ft. Riley, is the house guest of Maj. and Mrs. Ben Grimes for the week-end. Mrs. Henry T. Bull was a luncheon hostess, in compliment to Mrs. Lippincott. Col. and Mrs. Richmond entertained at a breakfast for Mrs. Lippincott Sunday. Their other guests were Maj. and Mrs. Crittenberger, Maj. and Mrs. McLane, Maj. and Mrs. Grimes and Maj. and Mrs. O'Hara, and Miss Richmond.

SAN JUAN

PORTO RICO, April 1.

The twenty-sixth anniversary of the 65th Infantry, which occurred on March 24, was an eventful day in the social life of the post of San Juan. A beautiful military mass was celebrated by the Right Reverend George J. Caruana, Bishop of Porto Rico, in the patio of the Infantry Barracks at 8:30 A.M. Chaplain Mariano Vassallo, visiting priests and a choir from St. George's parish, under the direction of Rev. Angel Portales, organist of the Cathedral, assisted.

The impressive ceremony of presenting the recruits to the Colors was held on El Morro Parade at 10:30 A.M. The Honorable Horace M. Towner, Governor of Porto Rico, was present and in a brief address paid high tribute to the 65th Infantry for its staunch devotion to duty. Col. Samuel W. Noyes, Commanding Officer, presented the recruits to the Colors with a few well-chosen words. Chaplain Mariano Vassallo spoke on the history of the Regiment, and Sgt. Maj. Lloveras on "Our Flag." Colonel Noyes then presented the trophies won during the past year.

In the afternoon, the officers and ladies of the post entertained many distinguished guests from San Juan and vicinity at a delightful tea dance in the Officers' Club. In the evening, a regimental dance for the enlisted personnel was held in the patio of the Infantry Barracks, which had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. Many tourists from the S.S. Resolute, guests of the officers of the post, watched the unique dancing from the spacious balconies of the Barracks.

CANAL ZONE

COZOAL, March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans were dinner hosts on March 20 for Capt. (U.S.N.) and Mmes. Wells, Greenslade, Pinney, Kalfus, Watts and Miss Head.

General Lassiter and Colonel and Mrs. Collins received at the regular monthly hop at Quarry Heights on March 20, given in honor of officers of the visiting Scouting Fleet.

Vice-Admiral McLean was host at dinner on board the U.S.S. Wyoming on March 21, for the Governor of the Panama Canal and Mrs. Walker, Admirals Magruder, Johnson, Taylor, Williams; Generals Lassiter, Martin, General and Mrs. Harts, Dr. South, Captains (U.S.N.) and Mmes. Irwin, Hinds, Mrs. Leach of New Orleans, Commanders Sears, Smith.

Colonels and Mmes. Grant and Mortimer were joint dinner hosts at Madame de Honds on March 21, for General and Mrs. Simonds, Colonels and Mmes. Pyles, Raymond, Brooke, Geary, Morris, Orway, Lieutenant and Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Cushman, Major Hollock.

Mrs. Pyles entertained at luncheon on March 21 for Mmes. Chamberlain, Brooke, Warwick, Morris, Huertley, Van Dusen, Head, Goldthwaite, Martin, S. J. Morris, R. R. Burn.

Colonel and Mrs. Chamberlain complimented their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen of Minneapolis, at dinner on March 21, asking also Colonel and Mrs. Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan.

Major and Mrs. VanVolkenburgh entertained with a buffet supper on March 21 for Misses Geary, Harts, Frances and Kathleen Dwyer, Wright, Eugenie and Margarita Harris, the Misses Shield, Major Smylie, Captains Callahan, Olson, Cotter, Lieutenants and Mmes. McFadden, Shabacher, White, Stevens, Berry, Pasoli, Lieutenant Dusenbury, Conway, Barnes, Trichell, Sullivan, Palmer, King and Mrs. Dietrich.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Evans were dinner hosts at the Union Club on March 21 for Majors and Mmes. Elliott, Davidson, Colonel Willing, Mrs. Davidson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ehrman.

Mrs. Dietrich entertained at dinner on March 22 for Captain and Mrs. Voss, Lieutenants and Mmes. A. S. Ap, Misses Frances and Kathleen Dwyer, Harts, Wells, Irwin, Peace, Wright, Geary, Captain Venable, Lieutenants Heineke, Trichell, Fontville, Harrell, McDonald, Sullivan, Barnes, Meers, West and Alfaro.

Admiral Magruder and Captain Cotten were hosts at luncheon aboard the U.S.S. Richmond on March 22 for the British Minister and Mrs. Wallis, Colonel and Mrs. Hall, Mmes. Woodruff, Leach and Dr. and Mrs. Goldthwaite.

Colonel and Mrs. Geary entertained at dinner on March 22 for Colonels and Mmes. Ordway, Grant, Bispham, Mrs. Cushman, Major and Mrs. Gardner, and Dr. and Mrs. Goldthwaite.

Misses Peace, Frances and Kathleen Dwyer, Geary, and Irwin were the hostesses for a progressive dinner party on March 23.

Colonel Harris and Misses Margarita and Eugenie Harris were hosts at dinner for General Martin, General and Mrs. Harts, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph, Miss Harts, Captain Brown, and Lieutenants Bowers and Conway on March 23.

Major and Mrs. Gardner were dinner hosts on March 24 for Captain Irwin (U.S.N.) and Mrs. Irwin, the British Consul and Mrs. Jopson, Colonels and Mmes. Geary, Steger, Totten, Dwyer, Captain Greenslade (U.S.N.), and Mrs. Greenslade, Captains (U.S.N.) Pinney, Courtney, Commander and Mrs. Collins, Dr. and Mrs. Goldthwaite, Mmes. Haight, Downs, and Com-

mander Allen.

Captain Greenslade (U.S.N.), and Mrs. Green slade entertained with a buffet luncheon on March 25 on board the U.S. S. Shawmut. Their guests were Captain Bronson (U.S.N.), and Mrs. Bronson, Major and Mrs. Gardner, Mmes. Haight, Downs, Lieutenants (U.S.N.) and Mmes. Taylor, Darrow, and Lieutenants Solberg, Christian.

Mrs. Walker entertained at luncheon on March 26 for Misses Morrow, Skilling, Mmes. Berlin, Ennis, Goldthwaite, Morris, Head, Blackburn, Evans, and

Colonel and Mrs. Chamberlain complimented their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen of Minneapolis, with dinner on March 26, asking also the Governor of the Panama Canal and Mrs. Walker, General and Mrs. Simonds, Colonels and Mmes. Grant, Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. Head.

Colonel Brooke sailed on the Gorgas on the 28th to attend the Medical Congress in Washington.

Mrs. Old entertained at dinner on March 28 for Capt. Jeffers (U.S.N.), and Mrs. Jeffers, Colonel and Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. Sumner and Mrs. Malsbury, Mr. Larned, Commanders Le

Bounty, Tibault.

The regular monthly hop at Corozal was given on March 27 in honor of Colonel Willing, the new commanding officer at Corozal. Colonel Willing, Major and Mrs. Davidson were in the receiving line.

Captain and Mrs. Johnson entertained with a before-the-hop supper at the hotel Tivoli for Colonel and Mrs. Mortimer, Colonel Willing, Majors and Mmes. Elliott, Kimball, Davidson, Major Lawes, Captains and Mmes. Perry, Her rington, Copeland, Johns, Captain Olsen, Chapman, Hayes, Lieutenants and Mmes. Peters, Low, Mmes. Davidson, Easum, and Miss Devers.

Mrs. Harry entertained with a bridge tea at the Hotel Tivoli on March 28 for Mmes. Van Volkenburgh, Franklin, Jones, Stuart, Tarpley, Watson, Bispham, Sherry, Johns, Schofield, Jolls, Powers, Stevens, Mabbot, Stetson, Moore, Rupp, Cherrington, Bonney, Thompson, Phillips, Sausell, McFadden, Passoli, Schabacher, White, Mmes. Thompson, Shields, and Geary.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Low gave a bridge party on March 28 for Colonel Willing, Colonel and Mrs. Mortimer, Majors and Mmes. Elliott, Kimball, Davidson, Major Lawes, Captains and Mmes. Copeland, Herrington, Johnson, Bentley, Fisher, Stamper, Anthony, Perry, Lieutenants and Mmes. Caffey, Hunt, Stearns, Mmes. Davidson, Sr., Easum, Yoder, Misses Heath, Devers, Mrs. Stuart, Chapman Hayes and Lieutenant Selee.

Colonel and Mrs. Morris were dinner hosts on March 28 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen, the other guests being Colonels and Mmes. Chamberlain, Bispham, and Miller.

Colonel and Mrs. Woodruff were dinner hosts on March 28 to General and Mrs. Harts, Colonel and Mrs. Johnson, Major and Mrs. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Head, Mrs. Davis, and Colonel Harris.

Captain and Mrs. Scott gave a dinner at the Hotel Tivoli on March 28 for Colonel and Mrs. Geary, Major and Mrs. Jones, Captains and Mmes. Phillips, Mabbot, Chapman and Mrs. Rupp, Lieutenants and Mmes. Jolls, Schabacher, Moore, Mmes. Masters, Stetson, and Lieutenants Palmer and Conway.

FORT THOMAS, KY.

KENTUCKY, April 4.

Capt. and Mrs. William M. Larner were hosts at a beautifully appointed St. Patrick's dinner preceding the regimental hop. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Dana T. Merrill, Miss True Merrill, Lt. Lucien F. Wells, Maj. John C. French, Capt. and Mrs. Price W. Beebe, Mr. Roger Johnson, Mrs. Fred S. Byerly, Capt. and Mrs. M. E. Halloran, Capt. and Mrs. Frank G. Potts, Capt. and Mrs. Oscar Kain, Lt. and Mrs. Richard Gessford, Miss Mildred Edwards and Lt. Earl Mattice.

Mrs. Dana T. Merrill was the hostess at a bridge party recently, complimenting Mrs. Sarah K. Kaufman of St. Louis, house guest of Mrs. R. W. Bryan. The other guests were Mmes. R. W. Bryan, W. M. Larner, Oscar Kain, Frank G. Potts, Thomas J. Cassidy, F. S. Doll, Price W. Beebe, Fred S. Byerly, J. J. Harvey, Richard Gessford, and J. J. Yeats.

Maj. and Mrs. I. J. Nichol gave a dinner before the hop Friday for Capt. and Mrs. J. J. Harvey, Chaplain and Mrs. Frank L. Miller, Capt. and Mrs. Marion F. Shepherd, Capt. G. T. McKenzie and Mr. Olin Gordon. The regular semi-monthly hop took place Friday evening, the hostesses being Mmes. F. S. Doll, Frank G. Potts, Richard Gessford and F. H. Thompson. About 100 guests were present.

Lt. and Mrs. Prince E. Tripp and sons, Edward and Donald, have returned from a three months' leave of absence spent in Michigan.

Mrs. Emma Christopher of St. Louis, is a house guest of Maj. and Mrs. R. W. Bryan.

Mrs. Thomas J. Cassidy entertained her bridge club at a bridge dinner Tuesday. The members present were Mmes. R. W. Bryan, F. S. Doll, W. M. Larner, Oscar Kain, Frank G. Potts, F. S. Byerly, Richard Gessford, Prince E. Tripp, J. J. Harvey and J. J. Yeats. Mrs. Sarah F. Kaufman and Mrs. Emma Christopher were guests.

Maj. John C. French has returned from California, where he spent a three months' leave of absence.

FORT SLOCUM

NEW YORK, April 16.

Lt. Virgil R. Miller, 18th Inf., returned to the post yesterday after a short leave of absence. Last Saturday he and Miss Anne Frazer McGoughan of Orange, N. J., were married at the home of the bride's parents. They have been in New York City since Saturday and when they returned to Ft. Slocum yesterday they were met on the dock by a self-appointed committee of friends, who made them an appropriate welcome. Lieutenant and Mrs. Miller are already in quarters on the post and today they were the recipients of a coffee service and tray presented by the officers of this post.

Lt. and Mrs. S. W. Ackerman have been hosts recently to Mrs. Ackerman's mother and sister, Mrs. Wright and Virginia of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Edward N. Fay, daughter of Mrs. G. Arthur Hadsell, Sr., has been a recent guest on the post also. Mrs. Hadsell recently gave a supper in honor of Mrs. Fay, and after the supper the party went to the Officers' Club for the dance.

NAVAL ACADEMY

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 14.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Starr King and their children came here from Washington Saturday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Winchester at Carvel Hall.

Lt. and Mrs. Harold W. Eaton have arrived in Annapolis, where they will take an apartment. Lieutenant Eaton has been ordered to temporary duty here.

Lt. Donald Giles, U.S.N., has returned to New London, Conn., after spending the week end with his wife, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Basil, at their home on Prince George Street.

Mrs. Barron P. Du Bois, Mrs. H. G. S. Wallace, Mrs. Carryl H. Bryan, Mrs. Harold E. Cook and Mrs. George Neal motored to Washington, D. C., last Thursday and were entertained at tea at the Mayflower Hotel by Mrs. Wilson, wife of Rear Adm. Henry B. Wilson, the recently retired superintendent of the Naval Academy.

Lt. R. D. Tisdale, who has recently been ordered to Washington in the Navy Department Bureau of Engineering, arrived Monday at his home in Annapolis from the Pacific coast, where he has been on duty on the U.S.S. California.

Lt. James P. Kennedy, commanding the Leterman General Hospital, departed on a tour of the East coast, included in which will be a visit to his home at McCormick, S. C.

Col. and Mrs. Charles L. Lincoln are visiting in Southern California. Colonel Lincoln expects to return in time to sail with Admiral Coonts on the Flagship Seattle for Hawaii, where he will be present during the Army and Navy maneuvers which will be held at Hawaii.

Lt. and Mrs. James Holden Phillips entertained at dinner for Lt. and Mrs. Charles E. Whitmore and Lt. A. P. Noel at their Preside home on April 4.

The officers and ladies of Ft. Winfield Scott entertained at a bridge and supper party in the Officers' Club on April 7. Lt. and Mrs. Beverly Snow and Lt. and Mrs. A. M. Nelson were hosts for the occasion.

Maj. and Mrs. H. B. McMurdo were hosts recently at a series of small dinners at their quarters in the Presidio. Maj. and Mrs. McMurdo entertained informally for their house guest, Mr. Dudley Hardy of Australia, who left recently for London. Among the guests at the farewell dinner given by the McMurdo's were Col. and Mrs. Walter Fraser, Majs. and Mmes. Leon Ryder and Mrs. Percy McMurdo.

Col. and Mrs. Joseph Partello gave a small dinner party, followed by bridge, at their quarters in the Presidio, March 30. Their guests included Cols. and Mmes. William J. O'Loughlin, Walter Fraser and Edward Andres, and Maj. and Mrs. Charles Freeman.

Maj. and Mrs. Robert Welshimer are expected in San Francisco within a few days, arriving from Ft. Monroe, Va. Major Welshimer will replace Maj. John Pratt in charge of the 63d Antiaircraft Forces at Ft. Winfield Scott, while the Pratts are leaving for Chicago. Mrs. Welshimer was a San Francisco girl before her marriage, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Austin. She and her husband visited Mrs. Welshimer's parents in San Francisco about a year ago. They will be stationed at Ft. Scott.

Col. and Mrs. Percy Bishop will leave Ft. Scott in the early summer. Colonel Bishop goes on two months' leave, at the expiration of which he will report to Washington, D. C., for duty at the War College. Colonel Bishop has been in command of Ft. Scott since his arrival from the Philippines, about a year ago. Mrs. Bishop is at home at Ft. Scott after a month's trip of several weeks' duration in Southern California.

Officers and their ladies from the bay posts accepted hospitality of the officers and ladies of Ft. Baker, who held open house at their post on April 1. The official hostesses were Mrs. I. W. French, Mrs. W. W. Scott and Mrs. Allan Howard. The entertainments provided were tennis, a polo tournament and a bridge party. Previous to the tournament Mrs. Louis La Garde entertained the visitors at luncheon at her home.

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FORT SHAFTER

HAWAII, April 7.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Edward M. Lewis entertained at a theater party Wednesday, having as their guests Mrs. Muriel Fenner, Col. and Mrs. Howard Landers, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Osborne and Lt. and Mrs. Richard Moore.

Mrs. R. P. Davis entertained Thursday at her quarters at a bridge luncheon, having as her guests Mmes. Lewis, Leonard Camp, William E. Cole, Henry M. Merriam, John Allen, John McCaul, William H. Chambers, Laurence Brown, Arthur S. Cowan, Howard Landers, Arthur Bradbury, Arthur L. Fuller, Samuel Stewart, Thomas Osborne, Edgar Colladay, Edward C. Hanford and Miss Keebler.

Mrs. William H. Chambers entertained Tuesday afternoon at a bridge luncheon honoring Mrs. C. H. Huffman, mother of Mrs. Matt Bristol. Covers were laid for Mmes. Huffman, R. P. Davis, William Kelly, Katherine S. Johnson, McStocker, Charles Craig, Carl R. Darnall, Leonard Camp, Arthur L. Fuller, Arthur S. Cowan, William Lanigan, Arnold Krogstad and R. E. de Russy.

Col. and Mrs. William Kelly, Jr., entertained at dinner Friday, having as their guests Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith, Mrs. Andrews and Mr. George Fuller.

Lt. and Mrs. John Hanley entertained at dinner before the dance at the Service Club Wednesday, having as their guests Capt. and Mrs. Clay L. Hoppough, Capt. and Mrs. Marvel Parsons, Capt. and Mrs. Charles Brice, Capt. and Mrs. Francis Swett, Lt. and Mrs. Paul Cole, Lt. and Mrs. Paul Howe, Lt. and Mrs. Joseph Hafer, Lt. and Mrs. James Welchel and Lt. Joshua Stancell.

Lt. and Mrs. George Brent also entertained at dinner before the dance Wednesday, having as their guests Col. and Mrs. Charles H. Hilton, Maj. and Mrs. Wilbur Scott, Major Wingate, Lts. and Mmes. Carl Wahle, Walker Holler, Miss Marion Beach, Miss Louise Webb, Capt. and Mrs. John I. Meagher, Mr. and Mrs. George Sipe, Miss Mary Sipe, Lts. Robert Chapman, Guy Stubbs, Raleigh Hendricks, Joseph H. Gibbons, Lt. and Mrs. Ralph Sprout and Capt. Werner Hall.

Mrs. Benjamin Lockwood was a luncheon hostess Thursday, entertaining in honor of Mrs. William E. Chambers, who left Saturday on the Grant. Covers were laid for Mmes. Chambers, H. C. Huffman, Matt Bristol, Lanagan, Frederick J. de Rohan, David Hedrick, Leo Harkins, Fred W. Llewellyn, Harold Bull, Frazier, Clensen Tenney and Miss Harris.

Mrs. Norman McNeil entertained at a bridge luncheon Wednesday, having as her guests Mmes. Glover, George Lovell, Jr., Boone, Curry, John Dye, Ernest Rudelius, Mallory and Paul C. Howe.

Lt. and Mrs. Sherman E. Willard entertained at a bridge supper at their quarters last Saturday, having as their guests Maj. and Mrs. Wilmer T. Scott, Capt. and Mmes. Harry Pierce, Clay I. Hoppough, Marvel Parsons, Rene E. Fraile, Lt. and Mrs. George Brant, Miss Marion Beach, Lts. and Mmes. Carl B. Wahle, Wilmer Merritt, James Hogan, William Webb and Capt. Edward Smith.

Miss Aris Bradbury, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Arthur W. Bradbury, joined her parents in Honolulu, after a few months' stay on the mainland.

Mrs. William Lanagan entertained Friday at a tea, complimenting Mrs. C. E. Huffman. Mrs. Lanagan was assisted by Mrs. Katherine S. Johnson, Mrs. Cuthbert Powell and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

Capt. and Mrs. John I. Meagher, who left last week for the mainland, were the guests of honor at a dinner given Monday evening by Lt. and Mrs. William Webb. The other guests included Lt. and Mrs. Raymond Knapp, Mrs. Louise Webb and Lt. Raleigh Hendricks.

Mrs. John I. Meagher, Mrs. Wilmer Merritt and Mrs. Koff Barnett were the honor guests at a bridge party given Thursday by Mrs. Walker Holler. The other guests were Mmes. Richmond T. Gibson, Charles Perfect, Marvel Parsons, Sherman E. Willard, William Webb, Miss Marion and Mrs. Carl B. Wahle.

Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Long entertained at dinner Wednesday, having as their guests Maj. and Mrs. Clarence Drake, Maj. and Mrs. Lewis Covington and Capt. and Mrs. Clarence Harvey.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ralph M. Mitchell entertained Saturday at a bridge mah jong party, having as their guests Maj. and Mrs. Richmond T. Gibson, Maj. and Mrs. Frank Emery, Capt. and Mmes. Edward Seeds, Creighton Kerr, James Hayden, Carl Adams, Charles Price, Richard Levy, Lts. and Mmes. Charles H. Crim, John Dwyer, Courtney Young, Charles Mendenhall, James Welchel and Lt. Robert Chapman.

Miss Mary Burt, of Richmond, Va., who has been visiting Miss Mary M. Broadbudd, chief nurse at the post, has been much entertained. Lt. and Mrs. Robt. J. Whatley and Miss Broadbudd gave a dinner-dance at the Officers' Club in honor of Miss Burt. About 25 couples were present. Mrs. George W. England entertained at a bridge-tea for Miss Burt.

Mrs. Charles T. Smart gave a lovely bridge-luncheon in honor of Mrs. F. F. Hubeck, of

Chattanooga, Tenn., who is visiting Lt. and Mrs. Robert Burrowes.

The death of Mrs. James Casey was a shock to all the post. Mrs. Casey came to the 6th Infantry about five years ago a bride and was one of the best-loved women of the post. Mrs. Casey is survived by her husband and a baby boy, about 10 days old.

Mrs. Wallace W. Parker, who has been at Walter Reed Hospital, in Washington, D. C., for the past several months, has returned to the post much improved in health.

Capt. and Mrs. Thomas C. Beck, who have been on an extended leave, have also returned to the post. While away they visited relatives and friends in Georgia and Texas.

Capt. Lawrence W. Anderson is in Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., for treatment. Mrs. Anderson is visiting her parents at Peru, Ind., while Captain Anderson is away.

Mrs. Dan H. Rinor gave a lovely bridge-tea in honor of Captain Rinor's mother, who is visiting them.

Capt. and Mrs. John J. Murphy recently gave dinner party in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Boyd Smith, who are leaving the post for a month's leave before going to the Philippines in June.

Mrs. Robert G. Cousley gave a St. Patrick's Day luncheon to all the ladies on the post.

Capt. Rufus A. Byers is now on duty with the Reserves downtown, but for the present will still occupy quarters on the post.

Col. Earnest Bingham, Mrs. Bingham and son, Earnest Bingham, Jr., have arrived and are occupying Quarters 5-W. Capt. and Mrs. Guy L. Hartman have returned to the post from an extended trip down South.

Lt. and Mrs. Francis D. Ross and small son are on a month's leave. Mrs. Charles H. Moore, Jr., has gone to California for a visit to relatives and friends. Lt. George L. Boyle has returned to the post after a long leave.

Mrs. Boyd L. Smith and small daughter, Virginia Lee, have gone to Albany, Mo., to visit her mother, Mrs. Patton, before sailing for the Philippines in June.

Mrs. Dan M. Ellis gave a dinner party on Sunday evening in honor of Miss Mary Burt. Lt. and Mrs. Waldon Lewis gave a lovely bridge-supper on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Mary Burt.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS

WASHINGTON, April 8.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Joseph E. Kuhn entertained at a bridge-supper Saturday, their guests being Capt. and Mrs. Guy Skinner, Capt. and Mrs. Tom Harris and Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lussier.

Mrs. Lawson Little was a luncheon hostess on Saturday for Mmes. Wiley Howell, William Knox, Clyde Glithero, Robert Poague, Dixie McClintock, Robert Browder, Edmond Sebree and Norman. On Wednesday, Mrs. Little entertained at a golf-luncheon, her guests being Mmes. George Donaldson, Alfred Sawkins, Percy Kitson, Gish Boyle, Richard Lussier, Edward McAtee, Adeli Young.

Lt. and Mrs. Edmund Sebree were hosts at a dinner Tuesday for Col. and Mrs. Lawson Little, Capt. and Mrs. Robert Poague, Capt. and Mrs. Browder and Capt. John Blue.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lussier entertained at a bridge-supper Friday. Their guests were Senator and Mrs. Shaw of Vancouver, Capt. and Mrs. Tom Harris, Capt. and Mrs. Henry Edmunds, Capt. and Mrs. Robert Poague, Mrs. McClintock, Chapman and Mrs. Clampitt, Lt. and Mrs. Strickland and Lt. and Mrs. Hazelton.

Mrs. Alfred Sawkins entertained at a "range widow's" party on Monday.

Capt. and Mrs. Gish Boyle were hosts at a chow mein supper Sunday. Their guests were Gen. and Mrs. Kuhn, Col. and Mrs. Howell, Capt. and Mmes. Knickerbocker, Harris, Wear, Skinner, and Lts. and Mmes. Sebree, McAtee and Wolf.

Mrs. Orville Clampitt was hostess to the Tuesday Luncheon Bridge Club, her guests being Mmes. Little, Wear, Boyle, Skinner, McAtee, Shaw, Lussier and Wolf.

Lt. and Mrs. Browder had as dinner guests on Saturday, Col. and Mrs. Little, Capt. and Mrs. Poague, Lt. and Mrs. Sebree, Captains Blue and Hilton.

Maj. and Mrs. Alfred Sawkins recently gave a dinner and theatre party for Col. and Mrs. Little, Capt. and Mrs. Wear, and Lt. and Mrs. Browder.

Mrs. George Wear was hostess at a farewell luncheon to Mrs. Robert Williams on Thursday.

PORTSMOUTH NAVY YARD

NEW HAMPSHIRE, April 11.

The Commandant of the Navy Yard and Mrs. Douglas E. Dismukes gave a reception on March 28, in honor of Capt. and Mrs. George Rood. Captain Rood is in command of the V-2, of which Mrs. Dismukes was sponsor. The Naval Band furnished music. Prior to the reception a dinner party was given by Captain and Mrs. Dismukes. Among their guests were Captain and Mrs. Rood, Captain and Mrs. Bray, Lt. H. M. Branhams, Lieutenant Jones, Lieutenant and Mrs. Huse, Mrs. Packer, Lieutenant Coombs, Burlington, N. J.; Miss Judith Lee Dismukes of Vassar College and her house guests, Mlle. Surneau and Mlle. La Porte; Mrs. Herich and Douglas E. Dismukes, Jr.

The Coast Guard patrol boat No. 192 was launched in the yard at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the sponsor being Virginia Branhams, little daughter of Comdr. H. M. Branhams.

Miss Judith Lee Dismukes of Vassar College and Douglas E. Dismukes, Jr., of St. Paul's School, Concord, who have been visiting their parents, Capt. and Mrs. D. E. Dismukes, have returned to their studies.

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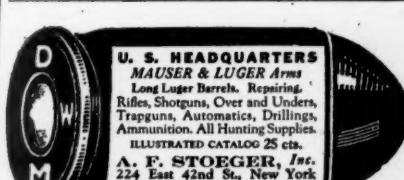
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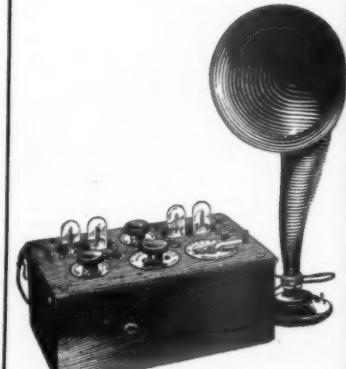
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